1998 Maryland Men's Soccer

Seniors Randy Merkel, Pierre Venditti, Keith Beach and Steve Armas

Maryland Players Currently in MLS

Judah Cooks

D.C. United

Leo Cullen

Miami Fusion

Andy Kirk

San Jose Clash

R.T. Moore

Tampa Bay Mutiny

Maryland Men's Soccer 1998

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Mission Statement

The University of Maryland is the flagship of the state's higher education system and a prestigious public research university, known for academic excellence in undergraduate and graduate education. The faculty is at the leading edge of scientific, technological, intellectual, and artistic discovery, while remaining focused on teaching. Providing the broadest range of highly challenging programs for the most talented students, the University of Maryland's state-of-the-art facilities and diverse campus community offer an ideal educational atmosphere and a location connecting faculty and students to unlimited resources for scholarly exploration and practical experience. The university also serves the state and region through application of research and expertise to address societal issues and promote economic growth.

Terrapin Quick Facts

Location	College Park, Maryland
Founded	1807
Undergraduate Enrollment	24,454
President	Dr. C. D. Mote, Jr.
Athletic Director	Deborah A. Yow
Nickname	Terrapins, Terps
Colors	Red, White, Black, Gold
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	Atlantic Coast
Home Field	Ludwig Field (1,500)
Head Coach	Sasho Cirovski
Record at UM	60-38-8 (5 years)
Career Record	86-50-14 (7 years)
Office Phone	(301) 314-4161
Assistant Coaches	Jeff Rohrman
	John Pascarella, Steve Campbell
Office Phone	(301) 314-7005
All-Time Record	375-231-63
1997 Record	16-6-1
1997 ACC Record	3-2-1
1997 Postseason	1-1
	Defeated Rutgers, 1-0, in NCAA 1st rd.;
	Lost to American, 1-0, in NCAA 2nd rd.
Starters Returning/Lost	6/5
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	14/7
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Men's Soccer Contact	Tricia Harris-Hughes
Media Relations Phone	301-314-7063

Terrapin Schedule

Day	Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Tuesday	Sept. 1	at Seton Hall	South Orange, N.J.	3:00 p.m.
Sunday	Sept. 6	AMERICAN	COLLEGE PARK	2:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Sept. 9	UMBC	COLLEGE PARK	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	Sept. 12	at Virginia *	Charlottesville, Va.	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Sept. 16	MOUNT ST. MARY'S	COLLEGE PARK	7:00 p.m.
Sunday	Sept. 20	at NC State *	Raleigh, N.C.	2:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Sept. 23	HOWARD	COLLEGE PARK	7:00 p.m.
Sunday	Sept. 27	DUKE *	COLLEGE PARK	2:00 p.m.
Thursday	Oct. 1	vs. San Francisco	Santa Clara, Calif.	8:00 p.m.
Saturday	Oct. 3	at Santa Clara	Santa Clara, Calif.	10:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Oct. 7	GEORGE MASON	COLLEGE PARK	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	Oct. 10	NORTH CAROLINA *	COLLEGE PARK	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Oct. 14	at Richmond	Richmond, Va.	7:30 p.m.
Saturday	Oct. 17	WILLIAM & MARY	COLLEGE PARK	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	Oct. 24	at Wake Forest *	Winston-Salem, N.C.	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday	Oct. 27	LOYOLA	COLLEGE PARK	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	Oct. 31	CLEMSON *	COLLEGE PARK	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	Nov. 7	MICHIGAN STATE	COLLEGE PARK	2:00 p.m.
Thurs.-Sat.	Nov. 12-15	ACC Tournament	Winston-Salem, N.C.	TBA

All times are EST and subject to change, home games are in CAPS and played at Ludwig Field
* - denotes ACC games.

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Maryland 19th in Sears Directors' Cup

In final standings released by the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA), the Terrapins' program was ranked tied for 19th out of 306 Division I schools last year. It is the highest finish for the Terps since the rankings began five years ago, and Maryland's 38-position jump from the No. 57 spot in 1994-95 is the greatest in that time by a school not previously ranked in the Top 25.

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Terps on the Web: For up-to-date game stories, statistics, schedules and results, and other Maryland athletic department information, please locate www.umterps.com on the World Wide Web.

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Newspapers

Washington Post
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Baltimore Sun
Calvert & Centre Sts.
Baltimore, MD 21203
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(410) 783-2518 (FAX)

Prince George's Journal
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Lanham, MD 20706
(301) 731-8303
(301) 731-8363 (FAX)

Terrapin Times
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Soccer News
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Travel Itinerary

Sept. 1 at Seton Hall
Depart: Aug. 31, 10:00 a.m.
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Return: Sept. 1, 3:00 p.m.

Sept. 12 at Virginia
Depart: Sept. 11, 6:30 p.m.
Hotel: Days Hotel and Conference Center, Charlottesville, Va., (804) 977-7700
Return: Sept. 13, Midnight

Sept. 20 at NC State
Depart: Sept. 19, 8:30 a.m.
Hotel: Brownstone Hotel, Raleigh, N.C., (919) 828-0811
Return: Sept. 20, 9:00 p.m.

Oct. 1-3 at Santa Clara/USF
Depart: Sept. 30, 7:58 a.m. - America West Flight #2927
Hotel: Santa Clara Marriott, Santa Clara, Calif., (408) 988-1500
Return: Oct. 4, 4:35 p.m. - America West Flight #240

Oct. 14 at Richmond
Depart: Oct. 14, 2:00 p.m.
Return: Oct. 15, Midnight

Oct. 24 at Wake Forest
Depart: Oct. 23, 10:00 a.m.
Hotel: Adam's Mark, Winston-Salem, N.C., (910) 725-3500
Return: Oct. 25, 4:00 a.m.

Nov. 12-15 at ACC Tournament
Depart: Nov. 11, 8:00 a.m.
Hotel: Adam's Mark, Winston-Salem, N.C., (910) 725-3500
Return: Nov. 15, 10:00 p.m.

University of Maryland
Excellence In Education

There is no better place to be than the University of Maryland. As *Washingtonian* magazine noted in its December, 1997 issue, "...kids are turning down schools like Princeton and Virginia to go to College Park." With its top-ranked academic programs, nationally recognized faculty, diverse population and lush 1,580-acre campus located between Washington, D.C. and Baltimore, Md., it's no wonder the University of Maryland is a sought-after destination for some of the state's — and the country's — best and brightest students.

Attracting them are more than 100 majors and some of the highest-ranked programs in the country. For instance, in the 1998 *U.S. News and World Report* rankings of graduate schools, the Clark School of Engineering was ranked 13th in the nation, the School of Public Affairs was ranked 27th, and also was named one of the country's 25 best business schools for entrepreneurs by *Success* magazine. And, the university's School of Music was ranked 30th in the country in the first *U.S. News and World Report* reputational survey of arts programs since 1994.

The reputation of the School of Music promises to grow when the Maryland Center for the Performing Arts opens in 2000. With a 1,200-seat concert hall, a 300-seat recital hall, a 650-seat proscenium theater, a 200-seat dance studio and a 200-seat experimental theater with state-of-the-art lighting, acoustics and theatrical design elements, it will be an ideal home for university-based performing arts programs.

For exceptional students seeking an exceptional education at the University of Maryland, College Park, there are a number of programs designed to enrich the learning experience. Among them are the Honors Program, ranked among the nine best in the country by *Ivy League Programs at State School Prices;* College Park Scholars, which encourages students who share common intellectual interests to live and study together in 10 specialty areas; and the Gemstone Program, which links student teams from engineering, the humanities, business and the physical sciences in a four-year research project.

Supporting the research needs of students and faculty are some of the country's best research facilities. In 1994, the largest, most technically advanced research archives in the world — National Archives II — moved to College Park. In addition, just outside of College Park are the Library of Congress, the Smithsonian Institution and the National Libraries of Agriculture and Medicine, among others. The university itself has the most comprehensive library system in the area.

The University of Maryland, College Park, as the flagship campus of the state higher education system, is a vital part of Maryland's current prosperity and its vision for the future. For students here, the state offers a bounteous extension of the campus' own wealth of opportunity.

High tech, engineering and service industries thrive in proximity to the campus, offering a wide spectrum of internship and work-study opportunities that only a major metropolitan area can provide. The Kennedy Center alone houses the National Symphony Orchestra, five performance stages, an opera company, and the American Film Institute. In Baltimore, one of the great ports of the world, the Inner Harbor has become a cultural magnet for thousands of tourists each year, offering the National Aquarium, the Maryland Science Center, and other attractions.

Whether your focus is the sciences or the humanities, a small town atmosphere or a metropolitan feel, the University of Maryland, College Park offers a wide range of educational and cultural opportunities. There is no better place to be than the University of Maryland, College Park.

Dr. C. D. Mote, Jr., University President

Dr. Dan Mote was appointed 27th president of the University of Maryland June 2, 1998. He comes to Maryland from the University of California, Berkeley, where he was Vice Chancellor of University Relations, President of the UC Berkeley Foundation, and held an endowed chair in Mechanical Systems.

"The Regents could not be more pleased with this appointment," said Lance Billingsley, chairman of the University System of Maryland Board of Regents. "Dr. Mote brings to the University of Maryland the national stature, record of accomplishment, and leadership abilities to build on [former university president] Brit Kirwan's legacy and to propel this institution into the top tier of American research universities. A man of impeccable credentials, he is widely recognized for his ability to form strategic alliances between the academy and the community. I can think of no one better to take over the helm of our flagship university."

Mote, 61, was named to the vice chancellor's position and foundation presidency at UC Berkeley in 1991. In those capacities, he has been responsible for working with the university's external constituencies through a variety of programs, including fund raising, government relations, publications and public information. In 1992 he launched a comprehensive, campus-wide campaign to raise $1.1 billion in private support by the year 2000.

From 1987 to 1991, Mote served as chair of Berkeley's Department of Mechanical Engineering, leading the department to its No. 1 ranking in the National Research Council review of graduate program effectiveness. He came to Berkeley in 1967 after three years on the faculty of Carnegie Institute of Technology. He has held research positions at the University of Birmingham (England), the Norwegian Institute for Wood Science and Technology, the Technical University of Darmstadt, and the Tokyo Institute of Technology.

His technical expertise is in the areas of dynamic systems, instrumentation, vibration, and biomechanics. He is internationally recognized for his research on gyroscopic systems and also the biomechanics of skiing injury. His research work has yielded 300 publications as well as patents in the U.S., Norway, Finland and Sweden.

He is a registered professional engineer in California and has served professional societies in a number of capacities. He was Vice President of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (Environment and Transportation Group) from 1986-90 and Vice Chairman of the ASME Council on Engineering in 1989-90. He was the founding chair of the ASME Noise Control and Acoustics Division and served from its inception in 1979 until 1983.

Among his numerous honors, Mote has received research fellowships from the National Science Foundation and from the Royal Norwegian Council for Scientific and Industrial Research. In 1971 the University of California, Berkeley, gave him its Distinguished Teacher Award. In 1988 he was elected to the National Academy of Engineering in the U.S. and was awarded the Humboldt Prize by the Federal Republic of Germany. In 1997 Mote was chosen Honorary Member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the highest award bestowed by this society, for exemplary accomplishments in the course of his career.

Mote holds B.S. and M.S. degrees in mechanical engineering and a Ph.D. in engineering mechanics, all from the University of California, Berkeley.

Did You Know?

• Maryland has top 20 ranked programs in engineering, computer science, physics, journalism, business, art history, economics, criminology, mathematics, oceanography, astronomy, education, agricultural economics and others.

• The University Honors Program was selected as one the nation's nine best in ARCO's Guide to Ivy League Programs at State School Prices.

• College Park has the state's largest concentration of academically talented students. More than one-third of new students are in invitation-only Honors, College Park Scholars or Gemstone programs.

• The university collaborates with more than 280 businesses through its Maryland Industrial Partnerships program. The university's incubator has spawned 20 new companies; three have been recognized as among the fastest growing in the state.

• Maryland is the only university in the southeast quadrant of the United States to have both engineering and business programs ranked in the top 25 by *U.S. News and World Report*. The College of Education also ranks in the top 25.

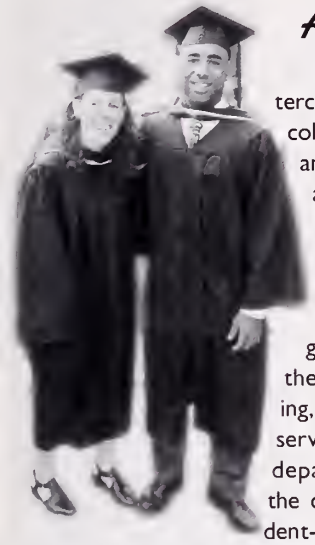
Maryland Terrapins

Among the Nation's Best

This is Maryland Athletics

At the University of Maryland, winning is not taken lightly. Like the rich history of all its sports programs, championships are a tradition.

Since the 1950s, Maryland has established itself as one of the most successful athletic programs in the nation. This type of success is no accident; it has been built year-by-year on the achievements of outstanding young men and women who were given the opportunity to excel both on and off the field of play. The victories, the championships and the national acclaim are all ingredients of the Maryland athletic program. Student-athletes who attend Maryland are part of a program and a university which thrives on tradition and excellence.



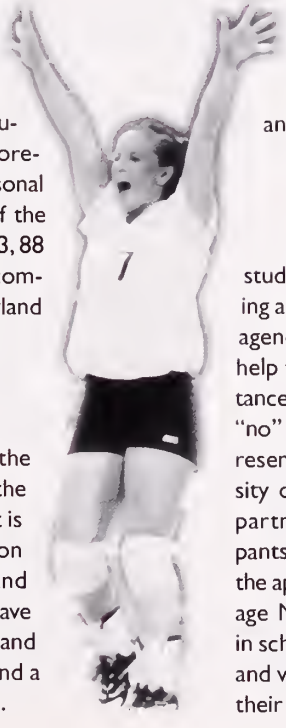
Academic Excellence

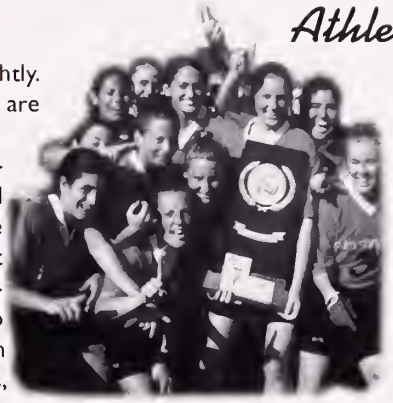
The University of Maryland considers intercollegiate athletics an integral part of the collegiate experience. Its existence provides an opportunity for students, faculty, alumni and students to share in the life of intercollegiate athletics.

The Department of Intercollegiate Athletics strives to achieve the same standards of excellence in its athletic program as exist within the university's teaching, research and public service programs. The department embraces the concept that the student-athlete is first and foremost a student, possessing academic abilities, personal interests and ambitions comparable to those of the other members of the student body. Since 1983, 88 percent of freshmen scholarship athletes who completed their eligibility at the University of Maryland earned their degrees.

Goals

The great thing about being a Terrapin is the commitment to hard work and dedication. At the University of Maryland, the athletic department is dedicated to supporting a well-balanced Division I program. Athletic Director Deborah A. Yow and her dedicated coaches, administrators and staff have re-engineered the department into a responsive and financially sound model — with a clear vision and a determined drive toward national prominence.

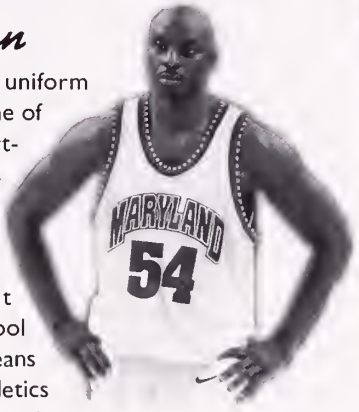




Athletic Success

National championships, conference championships, national rankings and postseason play are all a part of the University of Maryland experience. The University of Maryland has established itself as one of the nation's elite athletic programs. The Terrapins have won 13 national championships, including a record four consecutive by the women's lacrosse team. The Terrapins had plenty of reason to celebrate when it came to intercollegiate athletics in 1997-98, as they posted their highest finish ever (No. 19) in the national Sears Directors' Cup all-sports ranking. Its 38-position jump from the No. 57 spot in 1994-95 is the greatest in that time by a school not previously ranked in the top 25.

Competition



Wearing the Maryland uniform means playing in front of some of the loudest and most supportive fans in the nation. It means playing against the best teams in the country, in the most prestigious conference in the country, the ACC. It means wearing the school colors with pride. It means doing your best in athletics and academics. It is a unique and special feeling being a Terrapin.

Athletes in the Community

From the media spotlight to the community spotlight, Terrapin student-athletes strengthen the ties of the local community by serving as role models. Community service is a key part of the Terrapins' agenda. Student-athletes support many community programs which help to enrich the lives of Maryland youth while teaching the importance of studying hard and saying "no" to drugs and alcohol. Representatives from the University of Maryland athletic department speak to participants and use their image and the appeal of sports to encourage Maryland children to stay in school, improve their reading and writing skills, and to receive their high school diplomas.

Deborah A. Yow, Director of Athletics

The University of Maryland athletic department has made remarkable progress under the leadership of Deborah A. Yow over the past four years. Budgets are now balanced and the inherited operating debt of almost $7 million has been paid in full. There is a spirit of excitement and pride at Maryland and the department has a clear vision for its future.

In her inspiring first meeting with the staff, shortly after she was named A.D. in the summer of 1994, she challenged the Terrapin athletic department to "raise our sights and sharpen our tools...to work hard and work smart...to recognize that our only limitations are those which we place upon ourselves."

Yow has rallied the department toward the achievement of five strategic goals:

Yow Elected 2nd VP of NACDA

Deborah A. Yow was elected second vice president of the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics this past June and is scheduled to assume the organization's presidency in July 2000. Her term as second vice-president began July 1. Now in its 33rd year, NACDA serves as the professional and educational association for more than 5,100 college athletic directors, associates, assistants and conference commissioners at more than 1,600 institutions throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico. Yow is the second woman to serve as an officer of NACDA (Barbara Hedges, athletic director at the University of Washington, held office from 1994-97).

1) Generate significantly higher revenues with increased corporate sponsorships, aggressive marketing and more effective fund-raising;

2) Boost the graduation rate of Terrapin athletes to a level equal to the general student body;

3) Raise the level of competitive achievement nationally and in the Atlantic Coast Conference, while carefully complying with ACC and NCAA rules;

4) Develop a streamlined, highly efficient athletics organization;

5) Provide outstanding customer service.

In achieving most of these goals over her first four years as athletic director, Yow and her dedicated coaches, administrators and staff have re-engineered the department from a debt-ridden, under-achieving organization to a responsive and financially sound model — with a clear vision and a determined drive toward national prominence. Maryland now ranks in the top 10 percent of all NCAA Division I programs competitively across all sports, is competing effectively in the ACC, and set an enviable record of 154 All-ACC academic honor roll student-athletes. Corporate sponsorship revenues are up 265 percent and annual fundraising for scholarships has increased 60 percent. Maryland is a remarkably improved athletic program.

In 1997, Yow formed the employee "Committee on Quality in the Workplace" to recommend initiatives to improve working conditions and to design programs to recognize the value of athletic department employees. This has proved to be a wonderful tool in recognizing the worth of the university's outstanding employees across the department. There is a compelling sense that the Terrapin athletic department is a *family*, with a common goal and a shared purpose.

Maryland's athletic director recently observed, "We have the finest coaches, support staff, and administrative team in America. It is because of their courage, hard work, and cooperation that we now have a strong, viable athletic program. I am immensely proud of each of them. I am equally proud of our Terrapin fans who buy tickets and our Terrapin Club members who faithfully support the Maryland athletic program with their donations for scholarships, and the Maryland Educational Foundation and M Club members who serve and give liberally. We have a great Terrapin family. That's the foundation for all our successes...and the basis for our bright future."

Regarding the many achievements of the Terrapin athletic program, Yow says, "We are pleased, but we are not satisfied...our vision is to be one of the top 10 programs in the nation consistently...we see no reason to settle for less." Yow, who is a member of the NCAA Management Council and other prestigious national groups, is known for her goal-oriented and proactive management style. She consistently inspires and expects maximum effort from herself and those around her. Her words set the tone for everyone in athletics: "Winning isn't everything, but the *will* to win is." She points out that this applies in the classroom, on the field of competition, and in life.

A former basketball coach, Yow was the first male or female at the Division I level to lead three schools (Kentucky, Oral Roberts, Florida) to their first-ever appearances in the national Top 25. Her previous significant administrative experience came at the University of Florida and the University of North Carolina-Greensboro and as a pioneer female athletic director at Saint Louis University (1990-94).

The Maryland athletic department staff is working as a focused, talented and determined team under the dynamic leadership of Dr. Deborah A. Yow and is realizing steady and remarkable progress across all areas, *with the best yet to come.*

With a clear vision and with high aspirations for Maryland athletics, the Terps prepare to enter the new century on a dramatic upward thrust. The athletics staff embraces this prospect, with gratitude for its successes and with renewed determination to further enhance the program's national stature. It has the skill and determined leadership to reach its lofty goals, as a part of this great university. And it will.

Charting the Terps' Progress in the Sears Directors' Cup Under Deborah A. Yow

1994-95: 57th
1995-96: 36th
1996-97: 32nd
1997-98: 19th

The Sears Directors' Cup is the first national all-sports ranking measuring athletic competitiveness.

Danita D. Nias, Sr. Associate A.D.

Danita D. Nias, whose involvement in University of Maryland athletics goes back to her days as a cheerleader in the late 1970s and early 1980s, is in her fourth year as an athletic administrator and her third as the department's senior associate director of athletics. Nias assists the athletic director in the overall administration of the department, including performance management, staff development, and outcome assessment. She oversees the supervision of 13 varsity sports, supervises the personnel, marketing and media relations units, and directs a department-wide Continuous Quality Improvement program. She also assists in the solicitation of gifts for the capital campaign, coordinating her efforts through the athletic advancement office.

She earned her bachelor's degree from the University of Maryland's College of Business and Management with a concentration in personnel and labor relations.

She and her husband Michael reside in Silver Spring.

Patricia Nicol, Assistant A.D./S.W.A.

Patricia Nicol, the department's senior women's administrator, is in her third year as an assistant athletic director at the University of Maryland. She came to College Park following a six-year stint as associate athletic director and senior women's administrator at Providence College.

At Maryland, Nicol oversees the administration of 13 varsity sports, including nationally ranked programs for women's lacrosse, women's soccer, volleyball, field hockey, men's lacrosse and men's soccer. In addition, she supervises the nationally recognized women's basketball, gymnastics and softball teams, as well as the men's and women's tennis teams and men's and women's swimming programs.

Nicol earned bachelor's (1980) and master's (1983) degrees from the University of Rhode Island, where she was an NCAA qualifier in the sport of track and field. She was inducted into the school's athletic Hall of Fame in 1990.

A native of Providence, R.I., she has two children, Christine (14) and Michael (12).

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Asst. Media Relations Director	Chuck Walsh	314-706S
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Asst. Athletic Director/Operations & Facilities	Curt Callahan	314-7126
Asst. Director of Operations	Gary Parker	314-7127
Asst. Director of Operations	Greg Smith	314-7128
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Personnel Coordinator	Lisa Lepore	314-1967
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Asst. Trainer	Brant Berkstresser	314-9906
Asst. Trainer	J.J. Bush	314-7132
Asst. Trainer	Michael Meyers	314-9901
Asst. Trainer	Phyllis Sanders	314-7137
Asst. Trainer	Bill Saylor	314-7113
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Asst. Strength & Conditioning Coach	Barry Kagan	314-9927
Asst. Strength & Conditioning Coach	Damian Stephens	314-9927
Asst. Strength & Conditioning Coach	Corliss White	314-9927
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Asst. Ticket Manager	Eloise Jones	314-7084
Asst. Ticket Manager	Debbie Russell	314-708S

Academic Support & Career Development

The University of Maryland considers intercollegiate athletics an integral part of the collegiate experience. Its existence provides an opportunity for students, faculty, alumni and students to share in the life of intercollegiate athletics.

The Department of Intercollegiate Athletics strives to achieve the same standards of excellence in its athletics program as exist within the university's teaching, research and public service programs. The department embraces the concept that the student-athlete is first and foremost a student, possessing academic abilities, personal interests and ambitions comparable to those of the other members of the student body.

Keith Beach getting instruction from ASCDU ossistont director Heather Lowe.

The mission of the Academic Support and Career Development Unit, headed by assistant athletic director Demetrius Marlowe, is to provide quality developmental programs and need-based services that will enhance the academic progress, facilitate the career development, and encourage the psychosocial growth of every student-athlete.

MAPS Directory

This directory, produced annually by the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics, is intended to assist graduating Terrapin student-athletes as they begin their professional careers. Distributed to more than 1,000 corporations and businesses around the region, prospective employers are introduced to our graduating student-athletes with a photograph and resume information relative to academic, career and personal achievements.

Terp Choices

Terp Choices is a program designed to guide student-athletes by orienting, supporting and increasing awareness of the relevant issues pertaining to student-athletes in today's world. The focus of the program is making personal choices and how they may affect an entire team, not just a single individual. Education and interactive workshops are presented to the athletic team and are led by student educators.

Career Information Fairs

Career Awareness in Academic Support is expanding to include a variety of programs which will be offered for student-athletes throughout the semester. Career awareness will be an ongoing process and will include assistance with resume writing and interview skills. The end of the semester will bring a career awareness fair which will host a number of professionals with whom student-athletes can learn about career interests and planning. Unlike typical "job fairs," the purpose of this program is to allow student-athletes to explore multiple career opportunities by speaking directly to individuals in their chosen area of interest.

Team Maryland

Team Maryland is a class taught in conjunction with the campus' Center for Political Leadership in which student-athletes are exposed to leadership and public speaking skills and techniques. The program consists of a group of volunteer student-athletes who learn about the challenges for children in the community by speaking to different elementary schools about drug abuse and the importance of education.

In conjunction with the campus' Center for Political Leadership, participants are taught leadership skills and public speaking techniques to use in their school-based presentation. In addition to school visits, Team Maryland has hosted visits from local schools to our campus.

Undergraduate Programs of Study

A. JAMES CLARK SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING
- Aerospace Engineering
- Biological Resources Engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Engineering
- Environmental Science and Policy
- Fire Protection Engineering
- Materials and Nuclear Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
- Agricultural Sciences
- Agriculture/Veterinary (combined)
- Agricultural and Resource Economics
- Agronomy
- Animal and Avian Sciences
- Biological Resources Engineering
- Horticulture
- Landscape Architecture
- Natural Resources Management Program
- Nutrition and Food Science

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES
- American Studies
- Art
- Art History and Archeology
- Asian and East European Languages and Cultures
- Chinese
- Classics
- Dance
- English Language and Literature
- French Language and Literature
- Germanic Studies
- History
- Italian Language and Literature
- Japanese
- Jewish Studies
- Linguistics
- Music
- Philosophy
- Romance Languages
- Russian Area Studies
- Russian Language and Literature
- Spanish and Portuguese Languages and Literature
- Speech Communication
- Theatre
- Women's Studies

COLLEGE OF BEHAVIORAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
- Afro-American Studies
- Anthropology
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Economics
- Environmental Science and Policy
- Geography
- Government and Politics
- Hearing and Speech Sciences
- Psychology
- Sociology

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT
- Accounting
- Business/Law
- Finance
- General Business and Management
- Logistics and Transportation
- Management and Organization
- Management Science and Statistics
- Marketing
- Personnel and Labor Relations
- Production Management
- Transportation, Business and Public Policy

COLLEGE OF COMPUTER, MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES
- Astronomy
- Computer Science
- Environmental Science and Policy
- Geology
- Mathematics
- Physical Sciences
- Physics

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
- Early Childhood Education
- Elementary Education
- Human Development
- Secondary Education
  - Art
  - English
  - Foreign Language
  - Mathematics
  - Music
  - Science
  - Social Studies
  - Speech and English
  - Theatre and English
- Special Education

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE
- Family Studies
- Health Education
- Kinesiology

COLLEGE OF JOURNALISM

COLLEGE OF LIFE SCIENCES
- Biochemistry
- Biological Sciences
- Chemistry
- Entomology
- Environmental Science and Policy
- Microbiology
- Plant Biology
- Zoology

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
- College Park Scholars
- Division of Letters and Sciences
- Individual Studies Program
- Law and Health Professions
  - Pre-Dental Hygiene
  - Pre-Dentistry
  - Pre-Law
  - Pre-Medical Technology
  - Pre-Medicine
  - Pre-Nursing
  - Pre-Optometry
  - Pre-Osteopathic Medicine
  - Pre-Pharmacy
  - Pre-Physical Therapy
  - Pre-Podiatric Medicine
- University Honors Program

CAMPUS-WIDE CERTIFICATES
- Afro-American Studies
- East Asian Studies
- Latin-American Studies
- Science, Technology, and Society
- Women's Studies

Maryland 1998 Season Outlook

The University of Maryland begins the 1998 season with six returning starters and seven of its top eight scorers from last year's NCAA Tournament second round team. It is a veteran cast ready to combine with one of the highest-touted recruiting classes in school history.

Since the arrival of head coach Sasho Cirovski in 1993, Maryland has won a total of 60 games, including a school-record 16 last year, and has made a school-record four consecutive NCAA Sweet 16 appearances since 1994, something no other Division I men's soccer team can claim.

"For me, it is, perhaps, the most exciting season I have entered into since my second year here when I recruited Leo (Cullen), R.T. (Moore), Joe (Marshburn) and Mike (McIlwain)," smiles Cirovski. "There is going to be a level of energy and enthusiasm this year that is unmatched."

Cirovski has truly built one of the most talented teams that he has had at Maryland. Despite the overwhelming predominance of youth on the Maryland roster, Cirovski does have the luxury of relying on a quartet of seniors, All-America candidates Keith Beach and Pierre Venditti, Steve Armas and Randy Merkel.

"This group has a collective hunger greater than any other senior class I have coached. It may parallel my first senior class that led us to our first-ever Sweet 16 appearance. However, there is a different vision in mind between the two classes in that the class of 1998 is looking to become one of the elite teams of college soccer," said Cirovski.

Beach, Venditti and Armas all return as three-year starters and veteran leaders. The trio has helped lead Maryland to a record-setting four consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances, two upper-division ACC finishes and a top-10 finish in the national polls the last three seasons. Merkel also returns for his final year after transferring from Penn State two years ago.

The focal point of the 1998 Terrapins is undeniably Beach. A second team All-ACC selection in both his sophomore and junior seasons, Beach returns for his final season as co-captain and Cirovski's unofficial coach on the field. A member of the ACC all-tournament team as a sophomore and as a junior, he enters his senior season ranked third all-time at Maryland with 18 career assists. The offensive standout was credited with four assists last season. His previous total of 11, which he recorded as a sophomore, rank him fourth on the all-time single-season chart. Beach totaled 16 points last season and returns as the Terps' third-leading scorer. He enters his senior season with 48 career points and is on track to become one of the all-time leaders at Maryland.

The Terps are looking for a breakthrough year out of senior co-captain Steve Armas.

"Keith Beach is probably one of the most underrated players in collegiate soccer," said Cirovski. "He had a terrific year last year as our offensive MVP from a defensive midfield position, and he played with a nagging hamstring injury all year long."

Armas, who returns to co-captain the Terps along with close friend Keith Beach, ranks sixth all-time at Maryland in assists with 15, and will combine with Beach to form one of the most lethal midfield combinations in the ACC and in the country. Armas was one of only two players to play in all 23 games, and the only player to start all 23 games. He scored three goals and added five assists. His valuable work ethic and determination will allow him to become one of the top senior players in the country this year. He is bound and determined to lead the Terrapins to a run at the national championship.

"Steve Armas is very close to breaking through and becoming a very special player. I have seen him mature tremendously over the past year. He considered turning pro but turned against it because of his hopes of doing something special with this team this year. He is extremely determined going into his senior year."

Venditti earned first team All-ACC honors as a junior and returns for his final season as one of the nation's most solid attacking players. He scored 13 points last season, recording five goals and three assists. He was outstanding when the game was on the line as two of his three goals were game-winners, including his goal against Clemson in the quarterfinals of the ACC Tournament which gave the Terps a 4-2 win.

NSCAA Preseason Top 25

1.	UCLA	22-2-0	320
2.	Virginia	19-4-3	299
3.	Indiana	23-1-0	293
4.	Saint Louis	17-5-3	268
5.	American	17-4-4	247
6.	SMU	19-3-0	246
7.	Washington	15-3-2	197
8.	South Carolina	16-3-1	179
9.	St. John's	18-4-2	174
10.	Creighton	16-5-1	166
11.	*Maryland*	16-6-1	157
12.	Clemson	10-7-3	153
13.	South Florida	13-7-2	121
14.	Duke	15-5-0	91
15.	Bowling Green	18-6-0	60
16.	Dartmouth	10-4-4	57
17.	Florida Int'l	14-6-1	54
18.	William & Mary	14-6-2	52
19.	Rutgers	14-7-2	46
20.	Georgetown	15-7-0	40
21.	Stanford	13-5-2	36
22.	Boston University	14-6-2	19
23.	SW Missouri State	13-5-3	18
24.	Va. Commonwealth	15-4-4	15
25.	UNC-Charlotte	12-7-2	7

Maryland 1998 Season Outlook

His game-winning goal against Virginia in the 1996 ACC Championship gave the Terrapins their first-ever ACC championship, and he was later recognized as the 1996 tournament MVP.

Merkel, one of the best technical midfielders on the team, possesses great speed and has an uncanny ability to find the open goal scorer. This is evidenced by his team-leading and career-high 10 assists as a junior. The 10 assists rank him fifth all-time in the single-season record book, while his 14 career assists rank him 10th all-time. He totaled 14 points last season and returns as the Terps' fourth-leading scorer.

Jason Cropley and Jamie Eichmann, a pair of talented juniors, round out a strong upperclass for the Terps. Cropley returns as the Terps' second-leading scorer after posting a team-high seven goals and five assists. An extremely versatile athlete, Cropley will see playing time at either the forward or midfield positions. Cropley makes the hard work look simple as he is deceptively quick, a dangerous goal scorer and able to get the quick pass off to the open man.

Eichmann will take on an increased role this season after seeing playing time in 15 games last season. His one goal of the year couldn't have been any more meaningful to the Terps as it came at the 33-minute mark against Rutgers in the first round of the NCAA Tournament. Eichmann's goal lifted Maryland to a 1-0 victory over the Scarlet Knights, sending the Terps to their fourth consecutive NCAA second round appearance.

Senior forward Pierre Venditti, a 1997 All-ACC first team selection.

"Jamie has become an unsung hero on the team as evidenced by his play against Rutgers. He is more of an attacking player, and has great presence around the goal," said Cirovski.

Sophomore Jason Sardis headlines a large group of talented sophomores who saw a great deal of playing time last year as freshmen. Sardis finished his freshman campaign as the top scorer, posting a team-high seven goals and finishing second on the team in assists with seven. Three of his seven goals proved to be game-winners. The explosive goal scorer was the only freshman to play in all 23 games, earning the starting nod in 13 games.

Rob Birch, Christian Lewis, Kirk Miller and Mike Shebuski all have one year of experience behind them, and all contributed largely to Maryland's success last season. Lewis' role will change dramatically this season as he is the projected starting goalie after the departure of Andy Kirk to Project 40. Lewis played in two games last season behind the dynamic Kirk. Lewis posted six saves with one goal allowed in 103 minutes played.

"Christian improved tremendously from the beginning of last year to the end of the season. He is a bright kid. All parts of his game got better, including his distribution, his catching technique and his organizational skills," comments Cirovski. "He will have the upper hand in the beginning simply because he has a year of collegiate experience behind him."

Miller and Birch each saw time as starters last season, with Miller starting in 15 of the 22 games he played and Birch starting in four of the 18 games he played. Both fit the mold of solid, well-built players and should easily fit into the Terps' starting rotation again this season.

"Last year's freshman class, with the exception of Jason Sardis and Rob Birch, was pretty much an unknown group. Last year they learned under fire and now they are more confident, and many of them are starting to realize how good they can be," Cirovski said. "I expect each of them to contribute this year."

The class of 10 freshmen joining Cirovski's program this fall is, undoubtedly, the best in the nation. It includes four players, Dan Califf, Nick Downing, Beckett Hollenbach and Taylor Twellman, who were *Parade* All-Americans and who were ranked among the nation's top 25 recruits. The four re-unite with Cirovski after playing for him on the U.S. U-17 National Team where he served as an assistant coach.

"The group of players we have coming in aren't just freshmen, they are freshmen-plus. They are experienced players. They have played against the best national and international competition," said Cirovski. "There is a tremendous character and sense of maturity with this group. Many of them are mature beyond their years."

Senior co-captain Keith Beach, a two-time All-ACC second team selection.

Despite the leadership of the 1998 senior class, just how well the Terrapins come together as a team and improve over the course of the year will depend mostly on the development of the underclassmen. Cirovski will continue to realize the fruits of his program's recruiting successes when he looks toward a very capable bench. He will be able to choose any one of a number of players in an effort to substitute a quality player from the bench for a quality player on the field.

"The youth of our team is one of the reasons why we are going to Europe for the preseason. We will be tested immediately by competition which, in some sense, will be better than some of the college competition," said Cirovski. "We are going to learn under fire right away. We are going to be playing some tremendous teams in a span of 12 days and I think when we come back we should be pretty tested and experienced."

The Terrapins will get an early indicator of where they stand when they host American the first week of the 1998 season. The Eagles sent the Terps home early from the NCAA Tournament last season with a 1-0 nail-biting victory in the second round. Not but a week later, the Terps travel to Charlottesville, Va., to meet ACC rival Virginia.

In addition to the early-season tests, Maryland also faces several other challenging non-conference foes and rigors of the ACC schedule.

Position-By-Position Breakdown

Goalkeepers

#0 Nathan Barnard - Fr.
#1 Christian Lewis - So.
#22 Kevin Schmidt - Fr.
#18 Nick Venditti - Fr.

The biggest question mark on the Terrapin squad entering the 1998 season is who is going to replace Andy Kirk, who left Maryland after his sophomore year for Project 40, in goal. Only sophomore Christian Lewis returns as a backup goalie after playing in only two games a year ago. Freshmen Kevin Schmidt, Nathan Barnard and Nick Venditti join Lewis in the Terrapin nets. Venditti comes to Maryland after a year at St. John's where he was a medical redshirt. Cirovski admits that the goalkeeper's job is wide open entering the preseason.

"It's a very wide-open situation this year, more so than any of the previous five years I have been here. We pretty much knew who our No. 1 person was going to be. This year we basically have one sophomore and three freshmen competing for one spot, and what makes it even more difficult is the experience that all of them have had in the past year has been very little.

"The European trip will give us a good idea of who is the most ready early in the season, and hopefully this individual will be able to carry us through the rest of the season," said Cirovski. "We want to have solid goalkeeping early in the season, and we want to get better goalkeeping throughout the season, so when it comes time for the ACC Tournament, we have got as good as goalkeeping as there is in the league."

Defenders

#2 Dan Califf - Fr.
#6 Nick Downing - Fr.
#4 Beckett Hollenbach - Fr.
#20 Brian Otten - Fr.
#16 Tyler Pharr - Fr.
 # 13 Mike Shebuski - So.

Just as it is in the goalkeeper position, the biggest question is who is going to fill the void in defense left by seniors Leo Cullen, R.T. Moore and Joe Marshburn. Cirovski's entire back line graduated, and Cullen and Moore are now playing in the MLS. Only sophomore Mike Shebuski returns from a year ago, so Cirovski will have to craft a new corps of defenders from a cast of several talented players.

"It's not very often you lose your entire back line as well as your goalkeeper. It is going to take us some time to sort everything out in the back," admits Cirovski. "We do, however, return some talented players, including Mike Shebuski."

"You don't replace a Leo Cullen or Andy Kirk combination one-for-one, you have to do it by committee," he said.

Shebuski played in 18 games last season, starting in eight, and was very effective at bringing the ball up the field and making plays upfield, tallying two assists on the year.

Other possibilities on defense include Beckett Hollenbach who should step in immediately and contribute on defense. Another face who will help on the defensive end is the 1997 Gatorade Player of the Year and the 1997 *Parade* National Player of the Year, Nick Downing. The Redmond, Wash., native should contribute immediately. Newcomer Dan Califf, who along with Downing were starters on the U.S. U-20 National Team which qualified to play in Trinidad this past August, can also help Cirovski on defense. Other possible contributors on defense are 6-2 talented newcomer Tyler Pharr and redshirt freshman Brian Otten.

"I think the one positive thing we can get out of this is that we are going to have to be a little more focused on the details of defending, which will make us better. We won't have the experienced reliability of Leo (Cullen), R.T. (Moore) and Andy (Kirk) in the back. This year we are going to do it by committee and make sure we pay special attention to the details."

Midfielders

#10 Steve Armas - Sr.
#8 Keith Beach - Sr.
#5 Rob Birch - So.
#11 Jason Cropley - Jr.
#6 Nick Downing - Fr.
#17 Jamie Eichmann - Jr.
#7 Randy Merkel - Sr.
#15 Erik Ozimek - Fr.

Maryland gets the majority of its midfield back from the 1997 campaign in returning starters Steve Armas, Keith Beach, Randy Merkel and Jason Cropley. Cropley and Beach return as the squad's second- and third-leading scorers, respectively, from last year. Beach anchors the Terrapin midfield. His playmaking, passing and field savvy make him one of the most dangerous players in the nation. He will start alongside Armas and Merkel.

"Jason Cropley is going to play both wide right in the midfield and up front. He is such a valuable player up front that it is going to be hard to keep him away from there," Cirovski said.

Several other midfielders will battle for playing time besides the four listed above, including junior Jamie Eichmann, sophomore Rob Birch, and freshmen Erik Ozimek. Hollenbach and Downing, who will help on defense, also play in the midfield, with Hollenbach playing primarily in the defensive midfield.

Forwards

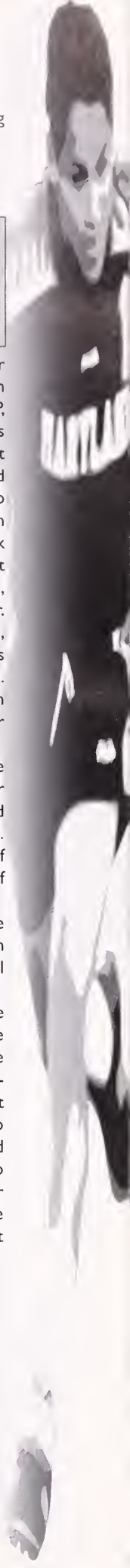
#11 Jason Cropley - Jr.
#19 Kirk Miller - Fr.
#12 Jason Sardis - So.
#3 Taylor Twellman - Fr.
#9 Pierre Venditti - Sr.

Headlining this year's attack is senior Pierre Venditti. A first team All-ACC selection last year, and the 1996 ACC Tournament MVP, Venditti is a multi-talented player who utilizes his speed to beat opponents with or without the ball. He totaled 13 points last season, and was third on the team in goals with five. Also returning from a year ago is junior Jason Cropley and sophomores Jason Sardis and Kirk Miller. Cropley, being the versatile athlete that he is, will also see playing time in the midfield, and returns as the Terps' second-leading scorer. Sardis had a spectacular freshman campaign, leading the Terps in total points (21) and goals (7), and was second on the team in assists (7). Miller, who is skillful with both feet and can create plays, totaled 10 points, scoring four goals and two assists.

Joining the group of Terrapin forwards are highly-touted freshmen Dan Califf and Taylor Twellman. Both are *Parade* All-Americans and are listed as two of the nation's top 25 recruits. Twellman earned the 1997 NSCAA Player of the Year award and was also named Player of the Year in the state of Missouri.

"Taylor is the best overall athlete I have ever recruited. He is a scratch golfer, he can play basketball, and is a tremendous baseball player," comments Cirovski.

"Our offense will be more unpredictable and harder to handle than ever before because we will have more weapons and more people who can score. Our entire midfield and forward lines are scoring threats. We haven't lost anyone and we have added more firepower to the midfield and forward positions," said Cirovski. "Teams aren't going to be able to play Maryland and simply shut down one or two players and go from there. Teams will have to stop six or seven players in order to beat Maryland," concludes Cirovski.



Maryland 1998 Rosters

Front Row From Left: *Assistant Caach Jeff Rahrman, Steve Armas, Jasan Sardis, Randy Merkel, Kevin Schmidt, Nathan Barnard, Christian Lewis, Nick Venditti, Jasan Cropley, Erik Ozimek, Mike Shebuski.*

Back Row From Left: *Head Caach Sasha Ciravski, Nick Dawning, Kirk Miller, Keith Beach, Pierre Venditti, Dan Califf, Tyler Pharr, Jamie Eichmann, Brian Otten, Beckett Hollenbach, Taylar Twellman, Rob Birch, Assistant Caach John Pascarella.*

Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/H.S. (Previous School)
0	Nathan Barnard	GK	Fr.	6-2	172	Fullerton, Calif./El Dorado
1	Christian Lewis	GK	So.	6-0	185	Ellicott City, Md./Centennial
2	Dan Califf	D	Fr.	6-1	175	Orange, Calif./Orange
3	Taylor Twellman	F	Fr.	5-11	170	St. Louis, Mo./St. Louis University HS
4	Beckett Hollenbach	D	Fr.	5-11	165	Havertown, Pa./Haverford
5	Rob Birch	M	So.	5-10	155	West Islip, N.Y./St. John the Baptist
6	Nick Downing	M/D	Fr.	5-9	145	Redmond, Wash./Eastlake
7	Randy Merkel	M	Sr.	5-9	155	Carol Stream, Ill./Glenbard North
8	Keith Beach	M	Sr.	5-10	160	Northport, N.Y./St. John the Baptist
9	Pierre Venditti	F	Sr.	6-1	175	Milford, Conn./Jonathan Law
10	Steve Armas	M	Sr.	5-8	140	Germantown, Md./Bullis Prep
11	Jason Cropley	F/M	Jr.	5-10	160	La Canada, Calif./La Canada
12	Jason Sardis	F	So.	5-9	155	New Hyde Park, N.Y./Herricks
13	Mike Shebuski	D	So.	5-7	165	Bloomington, Minn./Bloomington Jefferson
15	Erik Ozimek	M	Fr.	5-9	172	Columbia, S.C./Spring Valley
16	Tyler Pharr	D	Fr.	6-2	185	Dallas, Texas/J.J. Pearce
17	Jamie Eichmann	M	Jr.	6-2	180	Cedarburg, Wis./Cedarburg
18	Nick Venditti	GK	R-Fr.	6-0	175	Milford, Conn./Jonathan Law (St. John's)
19	Kirk Miller	F	So.	5-11	150	Shorewood, Minn./Minnetonka
20	Brian Otten	D	R-Fr.	6-1	170	Ellicott City, Md./Centennial
22	Kevin Schmidt	GK	Fr.	6-1	185	Westfield, N.J./The Pingry School

Terps By Class

Seniors (4): Steve Armas, Keith Beach, Randy Merkel, Pierre Venditti

Juniors (2): Jason Cropley, Jamie Eichmann

Sophomores (5): Rob Birch, Christian Lewis, Kirk Miller, Jason Sardis, Mike Shebuski

Red-Shirt Freshmen (2): Brian Otten, Nick Venditti

Freshmen (8): Nathan Barnard, Dan Califf, Nick Downing, Beckett Hollenbach, Erik Ozimek, Tyler Pharr, Kevin Schmidt, Taylor Twellman

Alphabetical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/H.S. (Previous School)
10	Steve Armas	M	Sr.	5-8	140	Germantown, Md./Bullis Prep
0	Nathan Barnard	GK	Fr.	6-2	172	Fullerton, Calif./El Dorado
8	Keith Beach	M	Sr.	5-10	160	Northport, N.Y./St. John the Baptist
5	Rob Birch	M	So.	5-10	155	West Islip, N.Y./St. John the Baptist
2	Dan Califf	D	Fr.	6-1	175	Orange, Calif./Orange
11	Jason Cropley	F/M	Jr.	5-10	160	La Canada, Calif./La Canada
6	Nick Downing	M/D	Fr.	5-9	145	Redmond, Wash./Eastlake
17	Jamie Eichmann	M	Jr.	6-2	180	Cedarburg, Wis./Cedarburg
4	Beckett Hollenbach	D	Fr.	5-11	165	Havertown, Pa./Haverford
1	Christian Lewis	GK	So.	6-0	185	Ellicott City, Md./Centennial
7	Randy Merkel	M	Sr.	5-9	155	Carol Stream, Ill./Glenbard North
19	Kirk Miller	F	So.	5-11	150	Shorewood, Minn./Minnetonka
20	Brian Otten	D	R-Fr.	6-1	170	Ellicott City, Md./Centennial
15	Erik Ozimek	M	Fr.	5-9	172	Columbia, S.C./Spring Valley
16	Tyler Pharr	D	Fr.	6-2	185	Dallas, Texas/J.J. Pearce
12	Jason Sardis	F	So.	5-9	155	New Hyde Park, N.Y./Herricks
22	Kevin Schmidt	GK	Fr.	6-1	185	Westfield, N.J./The Pingry School
13	Mike Shebuski	D	So.	5-7	165	Bloomington, Minn./Bloomington Jefferson
3	Taylor Twellman	F	Fr.	5-11	170	St. Louis, Mo./St. Louis University HS
18	Nick Venditti	GK	R-Fr.	6-0	175	Milford, Conn./Jonathan Law (St. John's)
9	Pierre Venditti	F	Sr.	6-1	175	Milford, Conn./Jonathan Law

Pronunciation Guide

Dan **Califf**: K-lif
Beckett **Hollenbach**: Hol-in-bock
Nick **Venditti:** Ven-dit-ee
Pierre **Venditti:** Ven-dit-ee
Mike **Shebuski:** Sh-boo-ski
Erik **Ozimek:** Oz-i-mick
Tyler **Pharr:** Farr
Jamie **Eichmann:** Ike-man
Brian **Otten:** Ot-in
Nathan **Barnard:** Bar-naard

Sasho Cirovski: Sash-o Sir-ov-ski
Jeff **Rohrman:** Roar-man

Head Coach: Sasho Cirovski (Wisconsin-Milwaukee,'85)
Assistant Coaches: Jeff Rohrman (Wisconsin-Milwaukee,'86), John Pascarella (Penn State,'89), Steve Campbell (Maryland,'97)

Sasho Cirovski, Head Coach

6th Season at Maryland • 8th Season Overall • Wisconsin-Milwaukee '85

One of the greatest victories ever for the University of Maryland men's soccer program occurred in February, 1993. Despite finishing the 1992 season with a below-.500 record, the Terrapins still managed to grab the top prize. The top prize didn't come in the form of any championship trophies, however. It came in the form of Sasho Cirovski.

You can't tell by looking at him, but Sasho Cirovski is a bit of a thrill-seeker. Evil Knievel he is not. He is more subtle than that. And while Cirovski may not always push the physical envelope, he nevertheless isn't afraid of new challenges.

Five years ago he left the security of a growing and successful program at the University of Hartford to revitalize a once-proud Maryland program. No small task by any measure. Take into account, also, that the Terps had a combined three-year record of 20-29-5, including a 5-12 record the year prior to Cirovski's arrival in College Park. After energizing a Hartford team that had not appeared in the New England Region rankings its first few years at the Division I level, to a first-ever NCAA appearance his first season on board, Cirovski was ready for the huge task that awaited him in Maryland. He had a plan. He always has a plan. He just needed an avenue and the support to implement it.

Sometimes the most complex and effective plans are those which appear to be the simplest. His idea was to first teach the players what the college game is all about. Second, teach the players what it takes to compete at the national level. Third, make some noise and let the big dogs know you're in town.

Hang around Cirovski's office long enough and you'll quickly understand what makes him tick. Family and soccer. At times it's hard to separate the two. Family is soccer and soccer is family. Pictures are everywhere.

When the decision was made to hire Cirovski, the underlying theme was to do it right. First class from the start.

The one thing Cirovski has earned which sets him apart from many of his peers is respect—respect from his colleagues, student-athletes, and everyone involved in soccer circles. Anyone can win awards, honors, trophies and the titles, yet the respect Cirovski has earned in his seven years of coaching outweighs his extensive collection of hardware. Cirovski has combined an unparalleled ability to motivate and teach with an exceptional mastery of technique to become one of the most talented and versatile soccer coaches in the nation. And whether it's on the field or in the classroom, Cirovski's student-athletes give it all they've got, and it shows.

Cirovski developed an excellent coaching reputation over a three-year period as a Division I assistant at his alma mater, Wisconsin-Milwaukee, from 1988-90. Cirovski learned under the watchful eye of Bob Gansler, the former United States World Cup head coach, and Director of Coaching for the U.S. Soccer Federation. During the spring of 1989, Cirovski served as the interim head coach while Gansler attended to his duties at the 1990 World Cup Championship in Italy. In his final season at Wisconsin-Milwaukee, the team made it to the NCAA Tournament for the first time in more than a decade.

His trail of success continued at Hartford, where, in only his first year, he guided the Hawks to their first-ever NCAA Tournament appearance, and first-ever North Atlantic Conference championship. Hartford defeated Columbia in the first round of the NCAA Tournament and took Virginia, the eventual NCAA champion, to four overtimes before losing. Cirovski duplicated several of those feats the next season as Hartford won its second consecutive NAC championship and played in the NCAA Tournament for the second consecutive season. Cirovski's first two collegiate seasons were as successful as any in the collegiate ranks. He guided the Hawks to back-to-back 13-6-3 records and became one of only a handful of coaches to take a team to the NCAA Tournament in his first two years as a head coach.

Maryland came calling for Cirovski in 1993, and his first team recorded a 3-14-1 season.

Ah, but remember the plan. In only five short seasons, Cirovski has directed the lightning-fast return of Maryland soccer to the national spotlight. The 3-14-1 record his first season has long been forgotten, and Maryland's four consecutive trips to the NCAA Tournament, and its 1996 Atlantic Coast Conference championship trophy, are what is fresh in Maryland fans' minds.

Now entering his sixth season with the Terrapins, Cirovski's list of accomplishments seems never-ending.

In his second season at Maryland, Cirovski led the Terps to the second round of the NCAA Tournament, and finished with a 14-6-1 mark. A 4-3 first-round NCAA win over George-

Sasho Cirovski's Career Record

		Overall				Conference					
		W	L	T	Pct.	W	L	T	Pct.	Conference Finish	Postseason
1991	Hartford	13	6	3	.659	4	1	0	.800	1st (North Atlantic)	NCAA Second Round
1992	Hartford	13	6	3	.659	4	1	0	.800	1st (North Atlantic)	NCAA First Round
1993	Maryland	3	14	1	.194	1	6	0	.167	7th (Atlantic Coast)	
1994	Maryland	14	6	1	.690	3	3	0	.500	3rd (Atlantic Coast)	NCAA Second Round
1995	Maryland	13	6	2	.667	4	1	1	.750	2nd (Atlantic Coast)	NCAA Second Round
1996	Maryland	14	6	3	.630	2	2	2	.500	2nd (Atlantic Coast)	NCAA Second Round
1997	Maryland	16	6	1	.696	3	2	1	.500	4th (Atlantic Coast)	NCAA Second Round
Totals	**2 schools**	**86**	**50**	**14**	**.573**	**21**	**15**	**4**	**.525**		

town was the first for the program since 1969, and marked the first time since 1986 that the Terps had made an appearance in the Big Dance.

The Terps' improvement from 3-14-1 during Cirovski's first year to a 14-6-1 record in 1994 marks the greatest single-season turnaround in the 43-year history of the Atlantic Coast Conference.

And to think it can only get better. In 1995, the Terps finished with a 13-6-2 record, and again advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament. They finished second in the ACC with a 4-1-1 mark, and ended the year ranked as high as No. 15 by *Soccer America*.

A No. 4 preseason ranking in 1996 had spirits high around the Maryland campus. And history was made. Cirovski led Maryland to the 1996 ACC championship, the program's first tournament championship. The Terps marched into Charlottesville, Va., and walked away with three record-setting performances, and a shiny engraved trophy declaring them champions.

The plan must continue according to Cirovski. The job had not been done. The Terps set their sights on the NCAA Tournament where they were looking for their third consecutive bid. They avenged an earlier season loss to James Madison, defeating the Dukes 2-1 in the first round. Maryland was awarded home-field advantage in the second round, and hosted the then third-ranked William & Mary Tribe. The Terps' season ended on Dec. 1 with a 3-0 loss.

After a fourth-place regular-season finish, the Terps found themselves again playing for the ACC championship in 1997. After opening the season with a school record-setting five consecutive wins, the Terps would be derailed by NC State 1-0, a team which the Terps had defeated 7-0 in the quarterfinals of the ACC Tournament one year ago. The Terps would win their next four before falling to Richmond. The Terps entered the ACC Tournament as the No. 4 seed and had a date with Clemson in the quarterfinals, a team the Terps hadn't defeated since 1989. The losing streak finally ended as the Terps prevailed, 4-2. Sitting in the wings was Duke, the top seed in the tournament. Maryland had little difficulty with the Blue Devils, also handing them a 4-2 loss. In the other semifinal, Virginia defeated Wake Forest for a championship date with the Terrapins. Virginia would escape with a 2-0 win and the ACC championship.

The Terps advanced to the NCAA second round for the fourth consecutive season, defeating Rutgers (1-0) in the first round before losing to American, 1-0. And so the season went, and when all was said and done, Maryland finished with a 16-6-1 record, with the 16 wins setting a new school record. The Terps finished the year ranked No. 10.

The honors would continue, however, when on Jan. 31, 1998, Leo Cullen was selected as the No. 1 draft pick by the Miami Fusion in the MLS collegiate draft. A Hermann and Missouri Athletic Club award finalist in 1996 and 1997, Cullen was also selected as the 1997 ACC Player of the Year, an NSCAA first team All-American and Collegiate MVP honors from *Soccer America*.

Cirovski's coaching accomplishments are fit to continue in 1998. In addition to his coaching accomplishments, Cirovski was a standout student-athlete as well. He began his career at Wisconsin-Milwaukee where he was a four-year letterwinner. He earned his bachelor's degree in 1985, and his master's in 1989. He then spent parts of three seasons as a professional player and coach with the teams in the Canadian Soccer League, and the National Professional Soccer League. His first taste of coaching came in 1987 in the Canadian Soccer League.

Cirovski holds an "A" coaching license from the U.S. Soccer Federation, and an Advanced National Diploma from the National Soccer Coaches Association of America. He has served on the staff of the USSF Region II (Midwest) Olympic Development Program, and since 1992, has been a member of the Region I (East) ODP coaching staff. Last summer, he served as the assistant coach of the JVC U-17 World Youth Championship team which played against Argentina, Uruguay, Egypt and two domestic camps. The team competed at the U-17 World Cup Championship in Egypt held last September. Cirovski also worked as an assistant coach for the U.S. U-20 National Team.

Cirovski's wife, the former Shannon Higgins, played collegiate soccer at North Carolina and is the head coach of the U.S. U-18 National Team. The couple has two daughters, four-year old Hailey, and Karli, who turned two in August.

Sasho Cirovski's Career Highlights

Team Accomplishments

- Two NCAA postseason appearances with Hartford
- Two North Atlantic Conference championships
- Four NCAA postseason appearances with Maryland
- One Atlantic Coast Conference championship

Players' Honors

- No. 1 pick in the MLS collegiate draft
- One ACC Player of the Year
- One NSCAA All-American
- Five first team All-ACC selections
- One ACC Tournament MVP
- One Missouri Athletic Club Award finalist
- One Hermann Trophy finalist

Terrapin Coaching Staff

Jeff Rohrman, Assistant Coach

Jeff Rohrman not only understands the game of soccer, a game he loves, but he also understands his boss, head coach Sasho Cirovski. He both mirrors and complements him. Talk about being on the same page. Start a conversation with one of the two and watch in amazement as they finish each other's sentences.

Entering his fourth season with the Terrapins, Rohrman's duties, in addition to actual coaching, also encompass that ever-expanding category known as "everything else." Recruiting, travel, practice, paperwork, part-time counselor, team liaison, etc. You name it, he does it, and he absolutely loves doing it.

Rohrman knew he wanted to be a soccer coach. His first taste of coaching came in 1990 when he was appointed head men's coach at Bethany Lutheran College.

A 1986 graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Rohrman was the assistant women's soccer coach at the U.S. Naval Academy prior to coming to Maryland. While at the Naval Academy, he acquired experience in eligibility tracking, community relations, scheduling, advising and budget management, as well as his on-the-field coaching duties. Rohrman also served the United States Soccer Federation as its national team coordinator. Rohrman also worked as an intern for the U.S. Olympic Committee where he coordinated the competition for the U-20 National Team.

Rohrman played collegiate soccer for two seasons at Wisconsin-Milwaukee, and two years at Bethany Lutheran College. He played alongside his boss (Cirovski) in 1984 while at Wisconsin-Milwaukee. While a player there, he earned all-state honors and was named team captain, and was voted team MVP following his senior season. He earned All-America status following his sophomore season at Bethany Lutheran.

Rohrman has tasted all flavors of soccer. Not only did he play collegiate soccer, he also played professionally, and even has a little Olympic experience mixed into the batter. He participated in the 1986 Olympic Soccer Festival in Houston, and then went on to play professionally with the Milwaukee Wave of the American Indoor Soccer League in 1986 and 1987. Throw in club ball, as well. In 1989, he was a starter for the Real Santa Barbara Soccer Club of the Western Soccer League.

He earned a bachelor's degree in zoology from Wisconsin-Milwaukee in 1986, and his master's degree in physical education and sports administration from Mankato (Minn.) State in 1991.

He is married to the former Nancy Kramarz. They welcomed their first child, Danielle Marie, into the world this past April.

John Pascarella, Goalkeeping Coach

John Pascarella begins his first season with the Maryland coaching staff, serving as the Terps' goalkeeping coach. Pascarella joins the Terps after having most recently served as the goalkeeping coach for the Los Angeles Galaxy of Major League Soccer.

Pascarella was a four-year letterwinner at Penn State University from 1984-88. After graduation, he played one year professionally in Lima, Peru, becoming the first American player to play in Peru. In 1991, Pascarella spent a year playing for the Washington Stars and Fairfax Spartans. He then traveled back to Peru in 1992, playing for Aliaza Atletico for a year.

In 1994, Pascarella returned to the States to play for the Richmond Kickers, and then turned his talents to the indoor league, playing for the Standard Falcons in Montclaire, Calif. It was from there he moved to Los Angeles to accept a coaching position with the Galaxy.

Pascarella received his bachelor's of science degree in exercise science from Penn State in 1989. He is the director of Soccer Plus goalkeeper school located in Weathersfield, Conn., and also began a goalkeeping school in South America in 1989. The nine-year professional player has also served as a guest clinician at the Swedish National Goalkeeping School. He and his wife Lisa reside in Bristow, Va.

Steve Campbell, Volunteer Coach

After a brief one-year hiatus, former Terrapin Steve Campbell returns once again to the Maryland coaching staff, serving as a volunteer assistant coach. Campbell had previously served as an undergraduate assistant coach in 1996 while finishing his undergraduate degree.

Campbell played for Maryland from 1992-95, appearing in 49 games during his career. He scored two goals and added five assists. The England native was a three-sport athlete in high school, earning letters in soccer, cricket and tennis. He led the Dronfield School soccer team to league and city championships during his career.

Campbell holds an "A" coaching license from the U.S. Soccer Federation. Most recently, he has been a member of the Maryland ODP Youth 13 team coaching staff.

Campbell earned his bachelor's degree in physical education in the spring of 1997, and is currently working on his master's degree in sports management. He served as a graduate assistant in the kinesiology department at Maryland this past year.

He married former Terrapin gymnast, Nicole Lefcourt, this past May.

Terrapin Support Staff

Bill Saylor
TRAINER

Barry Kagan
STRENGTH & CONDITIONING

Will Reigeluth
VIDEO COORDINATOR

Pat Gallagher
ASST. EQUIPMENT MGR.

#10 Steve Armas

Midfielder • 5-8 • 140 • Senior

Germantown, Md. • Bullis Prep

Returns to the Maryland starting lineup for the fourth consecutive year ... a co-captain ... a candidate for ACC and national honors ... a nimble goal-scorer who controls and passes the ball well ... one of the Terps' most valuable offensive weapons ... possesses great balance and agility.

AS A JUNIOR IN 1997: Returned to the starting lineup for the third consecutive season, playing and starting in all 23 games ... one of only two players to play in all 23 games ... came out strong in the beginning of the season, scoring goals against Adelphi, Hofstra and Howard ... scored both a goal and assist in Maryland's 5-1 opening-season win at Adelphi ... posted five assists ... named to the Maryland Diadora/3 Brothers Classic All-Tournament team ... served an assist to Randy Merkel at the 94-minute mark to give the Terps a 2-1 overtime victory over Duke ... totaled 11 points ... recorded one assist against George Mason, Villanova and Ohio State ... had 22 shots.

AS A SOPHOMORE IN 1996: Played and started in all of Maryland's 23 matches ... scored the game-winning goal in Maryland's 2-0 win over Seton Hall early in the season ... his goal in the last minute against James Madison lifted the Terps to a 2-1 victory over the Dukes in the first round of the NCAA Tournament ... recorded a season-high two assists in the Terps' 3-0 win over Hartwick.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1995: Appeared in all 21 matches, starting in 20 ... scored one goal and added four assists.

BEFORE MARYLAND: Attended Bullis Prep School ... a member of the U.S. U-20 National Team ... rated as one of America's top-25 high school seniors by Mike Woitalla, college editor of *Soccer America* ... listed among *Soccer America*'s "Super 11 Recruits" in Region I ... the Gatorade Player of the Year in the state of Maryland ... also named the Gatorade Player of the Year in the South Region which placed him in contention for National Player of the Year honors ... a starter for U.S. U-17 National Team which played in the World Cup in Japan in 1993 ... led Bullis to an undefeated season and the Private School State Championship in 1994.

PERSONAL: Son of Maggie and Aurelio Armas ... majoring in computer science ... born February 3, 1977.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1995	21-20	1	4	6
1996	23-23	3	6	12
1997	23-23	3	5	11
Career	**67-66**	**7**	**15**	**29**

#8 Keith Beach

Midfielder • 5-10 • 160 • Senior

Northport, N.Y. • St. John the Baptist High School

A 1998 co-captain ... a leading candidate for ACC Player of the Year honors ... returns to man the midfield after an All-ACC season in 1997 ... will combine with senior Steve Armas to form one of the most potent midfields in the country ... an aggressive player who controls the ball well ... returns as the Terps' third-leading scorer.

AS A JUNIOR IN 1997: A second team All-ACC selection ... named Maryland's Offensive MVP by his teammates ... named to the ACC all-tournament team ... a first team All-South Atlantic region selection ... played and started in 22 games ... scored six goals and added four assists to total 16 points ... his six goals ranked second on the team ... third-leading scorer ... named to Maryland's Diadora/3 Brothers All-Tournament team ... scored two goals vs. Clemson, including the game-winner, in the quarterfinals of the ACC Tournament ... scored the game-winning goal against George Mason ... also recorded goals against Mount St. Mary's, Loyola and Ohio State ... recorded one assist against Santa Clara and Mount St. Mary's ... posted two assists vs. North Carolina.

AS A SOPHOMORE IN 1996: A second team All-ACC selection ... named to the ACC all-tournament team ... totaled five assists in three games in the ACC tournament which set an ACC Tournament record ... finished the year as the second-leading scorer ... posted a team-high 11 assists ... scored three goals ... goals came against then-No. 1 ranked Duke, Old Dominion and Richmond.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1995: Had a great freshman year and quickly established himself as one of the top players in the country ... ignited the Terrapin offense, scoring six goals and chipping in three assists ... started in all 21 games ... was second on the team in goals with six ... had a team-high five game-winning goals ... game-winning goals came against Connecticut, American, Mt. St. Mary's, North Carolina and ninth-ranked Penn State in the first round of the NCAA Tournament ... scored Maryland's lone goal in a 1-0 overtime win against Mt. St. Mary's ... named ACC Player of the Week for the week of Nov. 6 after scoring the game-winning goal against North Carolina which carried the Terps into the ACC Tournament as the No. 2 seed.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A graduate of St. John the Baptist ... a *Parade* All-American following an honor-filled senior season playing for head coach Tom Bouklas ... a member of the U.S. U-21 National Team ... trained under U.S. Olympic Coach Timo Leikoski in February of 1995 in a prelude camp for the 1996 Atlanta Olympics ... was one of only two high school players on the U-21 team ... scored eight goals and added 10 assists his senior season and was named the Nassau-Suffolk Area Catholic High School Athletic Association Player of the Year ... selected first team all-league ... helped lead SJB to three consecutive CHSAA league championships in 1991, 1992, 1993 ... listed among *Soccer America's* "Super 11 Recruits" in Region 1 ... a top-25 high school senior by Mike Woitalla, college editor of *Soccer America* ... helped lead SJB to the No. 1 ranking by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America with an 18-0 record during his junior year (1993) ... team captain in 1995 ... also played two years of varsity basketball and tennis and one year of golf ... named SJB Sportsman of the Year for the 1994-95 academic/athletic season.

PERSONAL: A marketing major ... born November 26, 1976 ... the son of Barbara and Sean Beach ... a member of the National Honor Society ... graduated 15th in his class of 206.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1995	21-21	6	3	15
1996	22-22	3	11	17
1997	22-22	6	4	16
Career	**65-65**	**15**	**18**	**48**

#7 Randy Merkel

Midfielder • 5-9 • 155 • Senior
Carol Stream, Ill. • Glenbard North H.S.

One of the best technical midfielders on the team ... a solid worker who possesses a good attacking presence ... is strong at combination plays ... a physical player with good offensive skills ... a consistent player with size and speed ... is quick to find the open scorer and distributes the ball well.

AS A JUNIOR IN 1997: Started in all 21 games ... recorded a team-high 10 assists ... scored two goals which were both game-winners ... scored a goal and added an assist in the Terps' opening win against Adelphi ... scored at the 94-minute mark in overtime to lead the Terps to a 2-1 victory over Duke ... named ACC Player of the Week after scoring the game-winning goal against the Blue Devils ... recorded assists against Howard, Mount St. Mary's, Wisconsin and Wake Forest ... totaled one assist against Clemson in the quarterfinals of the ACC Tournament ... served the ball to Jamie Eichmann as the Terps handed Rutgers a 1-0 loss in the first round of the NCAA Tournament.

AS A SOPHOMORE IN 1996: Transferred from Penn State ... appeared in 19 games, starting in six ... scored two goals and added four assists ... scored the opening goal in the Terps' 4-0 win over Hofstra ... other goal was scored vs. NC State in the quarterfinals of the ACC Tournament.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A graduate of Glenbard North High School.

PERSONAL: Son of Debbie and Robert Merkel ... majoring in economics ... born March 20, 1976.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1996	19-6	2	4	8
1997	21-21	2	10	14
Career	**40-27**	**4**	**14**	**22**

#9 Pierre Venditti

Forward • 6-1 • 175 • Senior
Milford, Conn. • Jonathan Law H.S.

A multi-talented player who utilizes his speed to beat opponents with or without the ball ... will continue to share the scoring load again this season ... a solid attacking player ... expected to collect honors at the national level as well as ACC honors.

AS A JUNIOR IN 1997: A first team All-ACC selection ... posted five goals and three assists ... appeared in 21 games, starting in 19 ... had a team-high 44 shots on goal ... sixth-leading returning scorer ... scored two game-winning goals ... his goal in the 97th minute vs. Howard lifted the Terps to a 3-2 overtime victory and to the title of the Maryland Diadora/3 Brothers Tournament ... scored at the 45-minute mark vs. Clemson to give the Terps a 4-2 win in the quarterfinals of the ACC Tournament ... scored the opening goals vs. Duke and North Carolina during the regular season.

AS A SOPHOMORE IN 1996: Named MVP of the ACC Tournament ... appeared in 21 games, starting in 12 ... returned as the third-leading scorer ... charted six goals and three assists ... ended the 1996 campaign strong, scoring in every ACC Tournament game ... scored the game-winning goal in Maryland's 2-0 win over then No. 1-ranked Virginia to give the Terps their first ACC championship since 1971.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1995: Saw action in 15 games as he was plagued with injuries ... scored five goals and added one assist ... scored the game-winning goal vs. NC State in his second career ACC start ... named to the *Soccer America* Team of the Week after his performance against NC State ... scored a career-high two goals vs. NC State ... also scored goals vs. Connecticut, Towson State and Wake Forest ... recorded 28 shots.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A graduate of Jonathan Law High School ... the 1995 Gatorade National Player of the Year ... also selected as the Gatorade Player of the Year from the state of Connecticut and in the Northeastern United States ... a two-time *Parade* All-American (1993-94) ... listed as a top-25 high school senior in the U.S. by Mike Woitalla, college editor of *Soccer America* ... listed among *Soccer America's* "Super 11 Recruits" in Region I ... the leading scorer on the U-17 National Team ... played in the U-17 World Cup in Japan ... led the U.S. team to the final eight and scored a goal vs. Brazil during the tournament ... was a four-time prep All-American by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America ... earned the honor of being selected as the 1995 high school athlete of the year in the state of Connecticut, the first prep soccer player to earn the award ... named the All-New England Area Player of the Year by the NSCAA following his senior season ... a first team all-league selection and the Connecticut Interscholastic Athletic Conference Player of the Year in 1994 ... scored 37 goals and added 16 assists to lead the state with 90 points during his senior season ... three time all-state selection ... played in the 1995 Puma Cup as the starting forward for the East team.

PERSONAL: Pierre is the son of Amalia and Pasquale Venditti ... a speech communication major ... born August 22, 1976 ... brother Nick is a freshman on this year's team.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1995	15-15	5	1	11
1996	21-12	6	3	15
1997	21-19	5	3	13
Career	**57-46**	**16**	**7**	**39**

#11 Jason Cropley

Forward/Midfield • 5-10 • 160 • Jr.
La Canada, Calif. • La Canada H.S.

An extremely versatile player who can play forward or wide midfield ... a dangerous goal scorer ... deceptively quick ... an energetic player who knows how to go to the goal or distribute ... returns as the Terps' second-leading goal scorer.

AS A SOPHOMORE IN 1997: Appeared in 22 games, starting in 16 ... shared team scoring honors with seven goals and five assists ... his 19 points was second on the team ... scored a career-high two goals against Loyola and added an assist ... scored one goal vs. Clemson, and one goal and one assist against Duke in the quarterfinals and semifinals, respectively, of the ACC Tournament ... scored the game-winning goal in the Terps' 2-1 victory over Wake Forest ... scored one goal and added an assist vs. Santa Clara in the Maryland Diadora/3 Brothers Tournament ... also scored one goal against George Mason ... tallied an assist against Duke and Villanova.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1996: Blazed onto the collegiate scene, ending his inaugural season with eight goals ... totaled 16 points ... second-leading goal scorer on the team ... played in all 23 games, getting the starting nod in five ... scored two game-winning goals, including a goal at the five-minute mark vs. Mount St. Mary's which lifted the Terps to a 1-0 victory ... scored the Terps' lone goal in the tie against American ... scored one goal in each of the Terps' games at the Diadora/3 Brothers Invitational.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A graduate of La Canada High School in La Canada, Calif. ... listed as a top-25 high school prospect in the U.S. according to *USA Today* ... member of the No. 1-ranked UMBRO national high school boy's championship team from 1994-96 ... a starter on the U-17 Dallas Cup champion team, the California Flyers ... a three-year starter at La Canada ... scored 67 goals and 42 assists during his freshman, sophomore and junior campaigns ... scored 32 goals and added 21 assists as a senior ... is La Canada's second all-time goal scorer ... helped lead La Canada to a perfect 50-0 record and the California State CIF Championship in his junior and senior years ... voted MVP in the state CIF playoffs in 1994 and 1995 ... selected first team all-league as a sophomore, junior and senior ... named first team all-state as a senior.

PERSONAL: Parents are Muttera and Daniel Cropley ... majoring in family studies ... born September 22, 1977... his father played baseball at the University of Maine at Farmington.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1996	23-5	8	0	16
1997	22-16	7	5	19
Career	**45-21**	**15**	**5**	**35**

#17 Jamie Eichmann

Midfielder • 6-2 • 180 • Junior
Cedarburg, Wis. • Cedarburg H.S.

A solid contributor on both offense and defense ... has good size to go with ball control and passing abilities ... possesses sound technical skills, vision and footwork.

AS A SOPHOMORE IN 1997: Appeared in 15 games, starting in three ... scored one game-winning goal and added one assist ... scored at the 33-minute mark in Maryland's NCAA first round game vs. Rutgers to give the Terps a 1-0 win ... recorded eight shots on goal.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1996: Appeared in 14 games ... scored one goal in the Terps' 4-0 win vs. Hofstra.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A graduate of Cedarburg High School in Cedarburg, Wis. ... named the 1995 Player of the Year for the All-Ozaukee County boy's soccer team ... led Cedarburg to the North Shore Conference championship ... helped guide Cedarburg to the WIAA Division 1 state runner-up title ... set Cedarburg's season scoring record with 31 goals ... named the 1995 ACC Mid-West Regional Player of the Year ... named all-state player and senior all-star in 1995 ... a member of the Bavarian Soccer Club which won the Wisconsin State Cup ... played with the Bavarian Major team in 1995.

PERSONAL: Jamie is the son of Barbara and Robert Eichmann ... born December 3, 1977... his cousin Eric Eichmann played soccer at Clemson and is now currently playing professionally for the Kansas City Wizards of the MLS ... a biological sciences major ... a scholar athlete and honor student ... a member of the Spanish Club, AFS and PREP (anti-drug organization).

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1996	14-0	1	0	2
1997	15-3	1	1	3
Career	**29-3**	**2**	**1**	**5**

#5 Rob Birch

Midfielder • 5-10 • 155 • Sophomore
West Islip, N.Y. • St. John the Baptist H.S.

An intelligent and technical player who can play anywhere in the midfield or as a striker ... developed strength and confidence as his freshman season progressed ... distributes the ball well ... a very integral part of the Maryland offense.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1997: Played in 18 games, third-most of the freshman class ... earned the starting nod four times ... starts came against Villanova, American, Loyola and Ohio State ... scored three assists ... assists came vs. Adelphi, Mount St. Mary's and Villanova ... recorded 12 shots.

BEFORE MARYLAND: Hails from St. John the Baptist High School ... high school teammate of current Terp Keith Beach ... played for coach Tom Bouklas ... named all-county in the Catholic High School Athletic Association ... team captain in 1995 and 1996 ... led St. John's to the New York state high school championship in 1995 and 1996 ... played for Commack United club team which won the Eastern New York championship in 1992, 1993 and 1995 ... also advanced to the semifinals of the Eastern Regional championship in 1993 ... captured second place in the Italy Cup in 1994 ... a member of the New York State Olympic Development squad from 1995-97 ... a member of the Long Island Select Olympic Development squad in 1991 ... a two-time regional team selection.

PERSONAL: Parents are Kathy and Robert Birch ... a computer science major ... a member of the National Honor Society, the Principal's Honor Society, the Math Honor Society and the Science Honor Roll ... born January 12, 1979.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1997	18-4	0	3	3

#1 Christian Lewis

Goalkeeper • 6-0 • 185 • Sophomore
Ellicott City, Md. • Centennial H.S.

An intelligent keeper capable of outstanding saves ... projected starting goalie for this year ... gained valuable experience training under former Terp goalie, and current San Jose Clash (MLS) goalie, Andy Kirk ... not afraid to take chances coming out of the box ... organizes his defense well.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1997: The primary backup to starting goalkeeper Andy Kirk ... played in two games, starting in one ... allowed one goal in 103 minutes played and posted six saves for a 0.87 goals-against average ... started in the first game of the season, a 5-1 win over Adelphi ... appeared in relief at the 77 minute mark against Loyola.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A product of Centennial High School in Ellicott City, Md. ... a four-year varsity letterwinner ... helped guide Centennial to an undefeated 17-0 record in 1995, and a No. 4 UMBRO national ranking ... a two-time all-county and all-metro selection in 1995 and 1996 ... named all-state in 1996 ... was a member of Centennial's 3A state championship team in 1994 and 1995 ... a four-year member of Centennial's Howard County championship teams and regional championship teams (1993-96) ... totaled a career-record 24 shutouts and 13 goals allowed ... played for the Columbia City United club team which captured the U-17 national championship in 1996 ... was a member of United's four-time state championship run.

PERSONAL: A National Honor Society member, as well as the Principal's Honor Roll ... a Maryland Distinguished Scholar ... parents are Frangiska and Roy Lewis ... majoring in business ... born June 1, 1979.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Min.	Svs.	GA	SO	GAA
1997	2-1	103	6	1	0	0.87

#19 Kirk Miller

Forward • 5-11 • 150 • Sophomore
Shorewood, Minn. • Minnetonka H.S.

Contributed immediately to the success of Maryland soccer last season ... possesses a dynamic style of play to go along with a desirable work ethic ... a creator ... isn't afraid to put the ball in the net ... will shoot at every open opportunity ... skillful with both feet ... a strong and extremely quick athlete ... good in the air.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1997: Played in 22 games ... started in 15 games ... posted four goals and two assists ... three of his four goals were game-winners ... scored the game-winning goal against Santa Clara, Wisconsin and Ohio State ... scored a career-high two goals, and the only goals of the game, against Wisconsin ... scored at the 43-minute mark to lead the Terps to a 2-1 victory over the Buckeyes ... answered Santa Clara's Sean-Michael Callahan's goal at the 59-minute mark to break a 2-2 tie and give the Terps the 3-2 win.

BEFORE MARYLAND: Graduated from Minnetonka High School in Shorewood, Minn. ... a 1996 *Parade* All-American ... a three-year varsity starter for Minnetonka ... led the Skippers to the Section 7 championship, the school's first state tournament appearance in 23 years ... named co-captain his senior year ... holds the Minnetonka school record for most points scored in the program's history with 94 ... named to the 1996 All-Metro Boys' Soccer team ... an all-state and all-conference selection in 1996 ... named all-metro, and was an all-state an all-conference honorable mention pick in 1995 ... led the state of Minnesota in scoring as a junior ... a three-year member of the Olympic Development Program regional pool team (1994-97) ... played for the Seasons on State team for five years ... one of 24 athletes in the nation selected to the 1997 All-Festival Team in San Diego.

PERSONAL: Parents are Patricia and Frank Miller ... a letters & sciences major ... worked one-on-one with troubled elementary school children as part of the cross-age helper program ... born October 27, 1979.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1997	22-15	4	2	10

#12 Jason Sardis

Forward • 5-9 • 155 • Sophomore
New Hyde Park, N.Y. • Herricks H.S.

Played an integral role in the success of Maryland soccer last season ... leading scorer ... the only freshman to play in all of the Terps' 23 games ... possesses a great knack for scoring ... has a silky left foot ... an explosive goal scorer.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1997: Returns as the leading scorer from a year ago ... the only freshman, and one of only two players, to play in all 23 games, starting in 13 ... his seven goals tied him with Jason Cropley for the team high ... was second on the team in assists with seven ... totaled three game-winning goals ... had a four-game scoring streak, scoring two game-winning goals ... his streak began vs. Villanova where he scored the game-winner ... he then scored the lone goal against American off a penalty kick, scored against Wake Forest and had the game-winner against Loyola, respectively ... scored the game-winning goal against Hofstra in front of his hometown crowd ... also tallied a goal against Clemson in the quarterfinals of the ACC Tourney... totaled 33 shots.

BEFORE MARYLAND: Hails from Herricks High School in New Hyde Park, N.Y. ... a two-time first team NSCAA High School All-American (1995-96) ... a two-time winner of the Jim Steen Award which honors the best player in Nassau County ... earned all-county and all-state honors his junior and senior seasons ... named to the Region II All-East team as a junior and a senior ... an all-conference selection in 1994 ... MVP of the Nassau County playoffs as a freshman in 1994 ... named team captain in 1995 and 1996 ... helped guide Herricks to three Nassau County championships (1994-96) ... also led the team to the Long Island championship in 1994 and 1996 ... a two-year all-conference selection in lacrosse, as well ... also was the kicker on the football team.

PERSONAL: Majoring in physical education ... his parents are Joanne and John Sardis ... born November 11, 1979 in Long Island, N.Y.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1997	23-13	7	7	21

#13 Mike Shebuski

Defender • 5-7 • 165 • Sophomore
Bloomington, Minn. • Bloomington Jefferson H.S.

A tenacious defender and fierce competitor ... will be called upon to fill the void in the Maryland defense ... technically superior ... possesses great speed to beat any opponent ... a great passer who distributes the ball well.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1997: Played in 18 games, starting in eight ... totaled two assists ... combined nicely with the senior trio of Leo Cullen, Joe Marshburn and R.T. Moore ... combined with the three seniors to hold the opponents to a season-total 21 goals ... assists came against Mount St. Mary's and Villanova.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A product of Bloomington Jefferson High School in Bloomington, Minn. ... a four-year letterwinner and starter in soccer ... named captain in 1996 ... a preseason top-20 metro area boy's soccer prospect in 1996 ... named to the All-Midwest team as a senior ... selected as team MVP as a senior ... a two-time all-conference, all-metro and all-state team selection as both a junior and a senior ... named to the all-state tournament team as a junior ... helped guide Bloomington Jefferson to the 1995 Lake Conference championship, the Section VIII championship, and the state tournament ... was a member of the Section VIII runner-up team in 1994 ... a Midwest Regional team pool participant in 1995 and 1996 ... an invitee to the 1994 pool practice ... played for Minnesota in the Olympic Development Program ... placed fourth in the Region II camp tournament in 1995 ... has played in ODP since 1991 ... a regional camp participant from 1992-96 ... selected as captain on the 1995 and 1996 squads ... played on the Bloomington F.C. club team where he led the team to a first-place finish in the NSC Cup in Minnesota, and a first-place finish in the Stars and Stripes Cup in Kansas City ... made the semifinals in the Mid-American Soccer Classic in Cincinnati ... selected to play for the Minnesota Thunder (USISL) Developmental team which was the 1994 and 1995 State Cup runners-up, and state tournament runners-up in 1995 ... competed in the Tornado Cup in Charlotte, N.C., in 1995 ... most recently played for St. Croix soccer club.

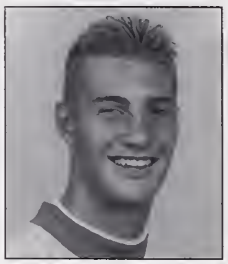
PERSONAL: A member of the National Honor Society ... a letters & sciences major ... parents are Gene Marie and Daniel Shebuski ... born September 26, 1978.

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Goals	Assists	Points
1997	18-8	0	2	2

#0 Nathan Barnard

Goalkeeper • 6-2 • 172 • Freshman
Fullerton, Calif. • El Dorado H.S.



BEFORE MARYLAND: A graduate of El Dorado High School in Fullerton, Calif. ... a three-year soccer letterwinner ... recorded 12 shutouts in one season ... a three-year captain ... named defensive player of the year at El Dorado ... played in all-star game his senior year ... helped guide El Dorado to the Brea Tournament championship, and to the finals in the San Luis Obisbo tournament.

PERSONAL: Carried a 3.0 grade point average at El Dorado ... son of Katherine and Robert Barnard ... born September 1, 1978 ... undecided on a major.

#2 Dan Califf

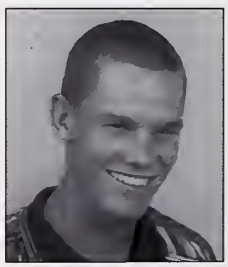
Defender • 6-1 • 175 • Freshman
Orange, Calif. • Orange H.S.

BEFORE MARYLAND: Attended Orange High School in Orange, Calif. ... listed as a *Soccer America* top 25 collegiate recruit ... a member of the U.S. U-20 National Team ... a 1997 *Parade* All-American ... a four-year varsity letterwinner in soccer at Orange ... earned all-county and All-CIF league honors ... was captain his junior and senior years ... also played volleyball for three years where he earned all-league second team honors as a senior ... a member of the U.S. U-17 National Team.

PERSONAL: Son of Teri and Jon Califf ... born March 17, 1980 ... also recruited by Southern Methodist, UCLA, and Fresno State ... chose Maryland because of head coach Sasho Cirovski and the team ... plans to major in history ... maintained a 3.1 grade point average in his four years at Orange High School.

#6 Nick Downing

Midfielder/Defender • 5-9 • 145 • Fr.
Redmond, Wash. • Eastlake H.S.



BEFORE MARYLAND: Attended Eastlake High School in Redmond, Wash. ... the 1997 Gatorade National Player of the Year ... 1997 *Parade* National Player of the Year ... a *Soccer America* top 25 collegiate recruit ... captained the U.S. U-17 National Team which participated in the World Cup in Egypt in 1997 ... a starter on the U.S. U-20 team ... a three-time NSCAA All-American (1996-98) ... earned *Parade* All-American honors in 1997 ... the 1996 Gatorade Player of the Year for the state of Washington ... a four-year varsity letterwinner in soccer ... helped guide Eastlake to an 82-6-1 record during his four years, including back-to-back undefeated seasons in 1996 and 1997 ... scored 40 goals and 35 assists while wearing the Eastlake uniform.

PERSONAL: Graduated with a 3.0 grade point average ... lists Michael Jordan as his favorite athlete ... chose the University of Maryland because of its professional atmosphere ... parents are Jim and Linda Downing ... born January 25, 1980.

#4 Beckett Hollenbach

Defender • 5-11 • 165 • Fr.
Havertown, Pa. • Haverford H.S.

BEFORE MARYLAND: Product of Haverford High School in Havertown, Pa. ... a four-year starter and three-year captain ... listed as a 1998 *Soccer America* top 25 collegiate recruit ... helped lead Haverford to four consecutive district playoffs ... a 1997 UMBRO/NSCAA High School All-American ... a three-year UMBRO/NSCAA Youth All-American (1995-1997) ... the 1997 UMBRO Player of the Year in Pennsylvania ... the 1997 Gatorade Player of the Year in Pennsylvania and the mid-Atlantic states ... earned all-state honors in 1996 and in 1997 ... a three-time All-Southeastern Pennsylvania choice ... a three-time first-team All-Delaware County, All-Central League and All-Main Line selection, and also earned player of the year honors for all three ... named the *Philadelphia Inquirer*'s Player of the Year and first team all-area in 1997 ... a three-year member of the U.S. U-17 National Team which competed for the World Championship in Egypt in 1997 ... made a record-setting 28 tours both internationally and domestically with the U-17 National Team ... a six-year member of the Pennsylvania State Select Team ... a four-year member of the Region I team ... starter and captain of the U-18 F.C. Delco team which won the Pennsylvania state championship in 1996 and in 1997.

PERSONAL: Graduated with a 3.3 grade point average ... plans to major in business ... also recruited by Virginia, North Carolina, Wake Forest and Brown ... son of Susie and Bill Hollenbach ... his sister Emily and brother Jake both ran cross country in college ... enjoys playing basketball, tennis and likes to read ... a recipient of the President's Award for Educational Excellence ... chose Maryland because of its fine academic reputation, the soccer program and head coach Sasho Cirovski ... born February 17, 1980.

#20 Brian Otten

Defender • 6-1 • 170 • R-Freshman
Ellicott City, Md. • Centennial H.S.

A redshirt last season due to a knee injury ... will see playing time at the defensive midfield position or anywhere in the back ... displays tremendous leadership skills ... technically sound ... known for his quiet contributions.

AS A FRESHMAN IN 1997: Redshirt.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A graduate of Centennial High School in Ellicott City, Md. ... high school teammate of fellow Terp Christian Lewis ... a four-year starter and letterwinner ... helped guide Centennial to the 3A state championship during his freshman and junior campaigns ... named team captain his senior year ... a two-time all-state and all-county selection his junior and senior seasons ... named All-South his senior year ... played in the state Olympic Development Program since 1993 ... played on the Snickers U-17 national championship team in 1996 ... his club team won the state championship four consecutive years (1993-96) ... also a three-year letterwinner in basketball ... helped lead basketball team to the county championship in 1997, and the co-county championship in 1996 ... named all-county his senior year after leading the team to an undefeated 22-0 regular-season record.

PERSONAL: A member of the National Honor Society ... son of Janice and Michael Otten ... an engineering major ... born February 5, 1979.

#15 Erik Ozimek

Midfielder • 5-9 • 172 • Freshman
Columbia, S.C. • Spring Valley H.S.

BEFORE MARYLAND: Graduated a year early from Spring Valley High School in Columbia, S.C., to begin training at Maryland this past spring ... an NSCAA regional All-American ... an all-state, all-south and all-conference selection all three years ... holds the school records for assists (51) and goals (53) ... led the state of South Carolina in assists (21) and total points (77) as a junior ... scored 28 goals and 21 assists as a junior ... a two-sport athlete at Spring Valley, participating in both soccer and cross country ... a three-year letterwinner in soccer ... Spring Valley owned a 53-6 record in his three years ... captained the soccer team his junior season ... one of 22 named to the U.S. U-17 National Team pool camp in 1996 ... U.S. U-20 National Team pool ... played on the Region III team in 1996 where he was named MVP and led the team in assists (4) at the Bermuda International Tournament ... captain of the Region III team ... a member of the 1998 Region III training camp in Alabama ... will play on the Region III Team, which will participate at the U.S. U-20 National Team this upcoming January in San Diego, Calif ... played on Maryland's ODP team at the 1998 Region I Amateur Festival and helped lead the team to the regional finals ... captain of the Columbia Patriots club team in 1997 ... led Patriots to the 1996 and 1997 state championship and to the Region III semifinals (1997).

PERSONAL: Graduated with a 3.9 GPA ... was also recruited by Virginia, North Carolina, Clemson, Duke, South Carolina, Notre Dame, UNC-Greensboro, Yale and Brown ... lists his mother as the person he most admires ... chose Maryland because it is "the best program in the country" ... majoring in letters & sciences ... parents are Thad and Karen Ozimek ... born March 7, 1980.

#16 Tyler Pharr

Defender • 6-2 • 185 • Freshman
Dallas, Texas • J.J. Pearce H.S.

BEFORE MARYLAND: Product of J.J. Pearce High School in Dallas, Texas ... played defender for Brian Croston ... a three-year captain ... played basketball his freshman year before switching to soccer ... a three-year all-city, all-district and all-area selection in soccer (1996-1998) ... tabbed best defensive player of the year all three years ... member of U.S. U-14 National Team which won the Dallas Cup ... U-16 regional champion ... his regional team won the Gothia Cup in Sweden ... recorded a 54-22 record during his three years.

PERSONAL: Was also recruited by Florida International, Duke, NC State, St. John's, and Clemson ... graduated with a 3.72 grade point average ... plans to major in business ... a member of the Spanish and National Honor Societies ... lists Michael Jordan as his favorite athlete and winning the Gothia Cup as his biggest athletic thrill ... chose Maryland because of its location, its academic and athletic reputation and those of the coaches and players with which he'll will be working with ... son of Tom and Cynthia Pharr ... born February 9, 1980.

#22 Kevin Schmidt

Goalkeeper • 6-1 • 185 • Freshman
Westfield, N.J. • The Pingry School

BEFORE MARYLAND: Attended The Pingry School in Martinsville, N.J. ... played goalkeeper for Miller Bugliari ... a four-year varsity letterwinner in soccer ... led The Pingry School to two state championships and four county championships ... holds school records for shutouts and goals-against average ... captain his senior year ... a three-time all-county selection ... a two-time all-state selection ... played in the senior all-star game ... The Pingry School owned a 70-5-2 overall record during his four years.

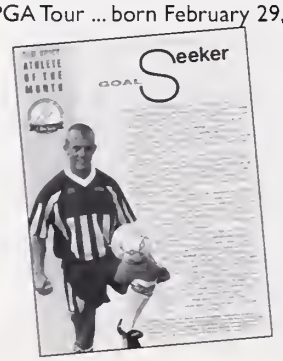
PERSONAL: His brother, Alex, played soccer at St. Bonaventure for two years ... plans to major in business ... son of John and Colleen Schmidt ... born January 3, 1980.

#3 Taylor Twellman

Forward • 5-11 • 170 • Freshman
St. Louis, Mo. • St. Louis University H.S.

BEFORE MARYLAND: A graduate of St. Louis University High School in St. Louis, Mo., where he played soccer, baseball, basketball and football ... the 1997 NSCAA National Soccer Player of the Year ... the 1998 Missouri High School Athlete of the Year ... listed as a 1998 *Soccer America* top-25 collegiate recruit ... a two-time *Parade* and NSCAA All-American ... two-time NSCAA State Player of the Year ... a two-time Gatorade State and Central Region Player of the Year ... named *Sports Illustrated* Old Spice Athlete of the Month in October 1997 ... a four-year letterwinner in soccer and baseball ... will play both soccer and baseball at Maryland ... a member of the U.S. U-17 National Team which played in the 1997 World Championship in Egypt ... scored 14 goals in the World Championship ... totaled 115 goals and 35 assists while at St. Louis University High School ... his 47 goals scored as a junior are a school record ... a member of the U.S. U-20 National Team ... batted .450 as a junior in baseball.

PERSONAL: Recruited by many top Division I schools, including Indiana, UCLA, Virginia, Clemson, Florida International, Portland and Creighton ... chose Maryland because he wanted to play for the top collegiate soccer program in the country, and play for head coach Sasho Cirovski ... graduated with a 3.5 grade point average ... parents are Moochie and Tim Twellman ... his father played professional soccer for the Minnesota Kicks and the Chicago Sting ... his grandfather, Jim Delsing, played professional baseball for the New York Yankees, the Detroit Tigers and the St. Louis Browns ... his uncle, Jay Delsing, is a current member of the PGA Tour ... born February 29, 1980.



Taylor Twellman was honored by being named the Old Spice Athlete of the Month in the Oct. 6, 1997 issue of *Sports Illustrated.*

#18 Nick Venditti

Goalkeeper • 6-0 • 175 • R-Freshman
Milford, Conn. • Jonathan Law H.S.
St. John's University

BEFORE MARYLAND: Began his playing career at St. John's where he redshirted his freshman season ... graduated from Jonathan Law High School in Milford, Conn. ... a two-year captain in soccer at Jonathan Law ... named all-area three years in a row by the *Connecticut Post* and *New Haven Register* ... a two-time all-league selection, as well as receiving all-state, All-New England and All-America honors ... a three-time MVP.

PERSONAL: Nick is the son of Amalia and Pasquale Venditti ... brother Pierre is a senior on this year's Terrapin team ... also has a sister, Giacoma ... born July 10, 1978 ... majoring in fine arts ... lists his brother, Pierre, and his father as people who have influenced his soccer career.

Four Terps Earn Parade Honors

Four members of the U-17 U.S. National Team, all of whom are *Parade* All-Americans and members of the U-20 U.S. National Team pool, signed National Letters of Intent to play soccer at the University of Maryland. All four played for Maryland head coach Sasho Cirovski while he served as an assistant coach with the U.S. U-17 National Team.

Nick Downing (Redmond, Wash.), Taylor Twellman (St. Louis, Mo.), Beckett Hollenbach (Havertown, Pa.) and Dan Califf (Orange County, Calif.) rank among the top players in the nation, and have helped Maryland achieve "the top recruiting class in the country," according to *USA Today*.

1997 Parade All-Americans

Forwards (12)
Sheldon Barnes
Thomas Beasley
Chris Carrieri
David Castellanos
Greg Foisie
Luis Gonzalez
Randy Guerra
Alberto Gutierrez
Ryan Mack
Kenneth Owens
Taylor Twellman
Joey Worthen

Midfielders (12)
Isaias Bardales
Marcello Dinsmore
Matt Goldsmith
Matthew Monsibais
Brian Purcell
Levi Strayer
Marty Tappel
John Thorrington
Steven Totten
Fausto Villegas
Kevin Wilson
Nozomu Yamauchi

Defenders (9)
Daniel Califf
Nick Downing
Chris Fehrle
Chris Gbandi
Beckett Hollenbach
Marshall Leonard
Lee Morrison
Mansour Ndiaye
Aaron Thomas

Goalkeepers (3)
Bryheem Hancock
Kyle Singer
Michael Ueltschey

Maryland Players in Bold

Maryland 1997 Season Recap

Terps Record School Record 16-win Season

Fresh off an impressive late season surge in 1996, the University of Maryland entered the 1997 season with great expectations. With its first outright ACC championship, the Terrapins set their sights higher in head coach Sasho Cirovski's fifth season in College Park.

Laden with lofty expectations and looming question marks, the Terrapins, led by senior All-American and 1997 ACC Player of the Year Leo Cullen, wasted very little time jumping into the fire of the 1997 season. Up first for Cirovski and his troops was a trip east for games against Adelphi and Hofstra. The Terps opened the season with a 5-1 win over Adelphi and escaped Hofstra with a 2-0 win, with hometown hero Jason Sardis scoring the game-winning goal.

Maryland would return home to host the Diadora/3 Brothers Classic, featuring George Mason, Santa Clara and Howard. The Terps drew Santa Clara in the first match with freshman Kirk Miller scoring at the 59-minute mark to propel the Terps to a 3-2 win. The championship match featured the two unbeatens, Maryland and Howard, and it would take 97 minutes before Pierre Venditti accepted a wide-open pass from Judah Cooks to give Maryland the 3-2 overtime victory, and its first Diadora/3 Brothers title. Cooks earned Most Valuable Offensive Player honors, while Steve Armas, Keith Beach, Joe Marshburn and Leo Cullen were all named to the all-tournament team.

The four-match winning streak marked the Terps' longest since 1986 when they opened with wins against Catholic, Richmond, American and Howard.

Maryland began ACC regular-season play against the then 18th-ranked Virginia Cavaliers. The last time these two teams met, Maryland celebrated the ACC Championship on Virginia's home turf after defeating the Cavaliers in the championship match, 2-1. Virginia came to College Park seeking redemption in front of a record crowd of 3,723 at Ludwig Field. First team All-American Leo Cullen proved why he was college soccer's top defensive player in 1997, as he stepped up to the challenge and shut down Cavs All-American forward Ben Olsen. However, Virginia's defense was up to the challenge as well, and fans watched the two teams play to 0-0 tie.

Up next for the Terps was a visit from in-state foe Mount St. Mary's. The match was tied at 1-1 until the 84th minute when Cooks broke it open with his second goal of the game. That goal was Cooks' fifth in six games. Maryland added another late score on Keith Beach's first goal of the season, en route to 3-1 win.

Following their first loss of the season to N.C. State, the Terps kicked off their second four-match winning streak of the season with a 2-1 overtime victory over then fifth-ranked Duke when Randy Merkel punched in the game-winning score in the fourth minute of OT.

Maryland hit the road again for its first of two consecutive non-conference games when it traveled to Madison, Wis., to take on the Wisconsin Badgers. Freshman Kirk Miller had the first multi-goal game of his NCAA career, and Andy Kirk notched his second shutout of the season as the Terps dropped the Badgers 2-0. Kirk continued his brilliant play as Maryland traveled across the Potomac to take on cross-town rival George Mason. Kirk shut down the Patriots, 2-0, for his second consecutive shutout. Beach's second goal of the season turned out to be the game-winner, as he broke a scoreless tie in the 68th minute.

The road-weary Terps returned to ACC play when they traveled to Chapel Hill to tackle North Carolina. Senior Mike McIlwain scored the game-winning goal, his first of the season, 14 minutes into the overtime period to give the Terps a 2-1 win, and a 2-1-1 ACC record.

The Terps' four-match winning streak was snapped when the visiting Richmond Spiders ran away with a controversial 1-0 win. Maryland would rebound three days later, defeating Villanova 4-0 and Andy Kirk recording his fourth shutout.

The Terps were unable to slow down the high-powered offense of American, losing 3-1, with Jason Sardis scoring the Terps' lone goal off of a penalty kick.

Maryland would win its next two against Wake Forest and Loyola, respectively, before dropping a heartbreaker to Clemson on the Tigers' home field. The Terps closed the 1997 regular-season with a 2-1 win over Ohio State at RFK Stadium in Washington, D.C.

The Terps finished fourth in the ACC with a 3-2-1 mark and entered the ACC Tournament in Orlando, Fla., as the No. 4 seed, meeting Clemson in the quarterfinals. The monkey

Leo Cullen, who was the No. 1 overall pick in the 1998 MLS Draft by Miami, pointed the Terps to a 16-6-1 record in 1997

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was finally off of their back as the Terps handed Clemson a shattering 4-2 loss. It marked the Terps' first win over the Tigers since 1989 and Pierre Venditti's second game-winning goal of the year. Next up was top-seeded Duke. Again, the Terps posted a 4-2 win after Keith Beach netted two goals. For the second consecutive season, it was Maryland and Virginia fighting for the rights of the league title. Virginia's Ben Olsen scored at the 17- and 55-minute marks to give the Cavaliers a 2-0 win and the championship trophy. Keith Beach, Leo Cullen and Andy Kirk were all named to the all-tournament team.

Maryland, for the fourth-consecutive season, advanced to the NCAA second round, defeating Rutgers in the first round, 1-0, off of a Jamie Eichmann goal. The Terrapins would meet American again for the second time in the season in the NCAA second round, falling again, 1-0.

Maryland became the only team in the nation to advance to the last four Sweet 16s. The Terps also recorded a school-record 16 wins, en route to a 16-6-1 overall record.

"This team can take great pride in the fact that they were members of a team which appeared in a record-setting four Sweet 16s," said head coach Sasho Cirovski.

Cullen headlined the list of postseason honors for the Terps, as he was not only named ACC Player of the Year and first team All-American, but was also the first pick in the 1998 MLS draft. He earned his third consecutive first team All-ACC honor, and was joined by Pierre Venditti on the first team. Keith Beach, Judah Cooks and R.T. Moore all earned second team honors.

Cullen, again, for the second consecutive year, was a finalist for both the Hermann Trophy and the Missouri Athletic Club trophy. He also earned *Soccer America* MVP honors and was chosen to participate on the UMBRO Elite 16 All-Star team. Moore was also chosen to play as an UMBRO All-Star.

"It was once again a great year with a record amount of wins and a fourth consecutive trip to the Sweet 16, but there is an emptiness inside that says we didn't maximize our full potential," said Cirovski. "It is sort of an end of one era in Maryland soccer, and that was one of rebuilding the program. We now have built the program thanks to Leo (Cullen), Joe (Marshburn), R.T. (Moore) and Mike (McIlwain), who came here to build the program and had hopes of winning a national championship. They have set the precedent where, now, student-athletes no longer come to Maryland to build a program, but to win a national championship."

R.T. Moore was named an UMBRO Select All-Star after a stellar 1997 season.

1997 Final Polls

NSCAA

1.	Indiana
2.	SMU
3.	UCLA
4.	Virginia
5.	St. John's
6.	Washington
7.	South Carolina
8.	American
9.	Duke
10.	***Maryland***
11.	Creighton
12.	Boston University
13.	Florida International
14.	Saint Louis
15.	Rider
16.	Bowling Green
17.	Gonzaga
18.	VCU
19.	Rutgers
20.	Dartmouth
21.	SW Missouri St.
22.	Stanford
23.	Marquette
24.	UNC-Charlotte
25.	William & Mary

Soccer America

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8.	Clemson
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12.	***Maryland***
13.	Duke
14.	Creighton
15.	Bowling Green
16.	Georgetown
17.	Rutgers
18.	VCU
19.	William & Mary
20.	Dartmouth
21.	Stanford
22.	SW Missouri St.
23.	Florida International
24.	Brown
25.	Rider

1997 Honors

First Team All-ACC
Leo Cullen
Pierre Venditti

Second Team All-ACC
Keith Beach
Judah Cooks
R.T. Moore

ACC Player of the Year
Leo Cullen

ACC All-Tournament Team
Keith Beach
Leo Cullen
Andy Kirk

All-South Atlantic
Leo Cullen
Keith Beach

NSCAA All-American
Leo Cullen

Hermann Trophy Finalist
Leo Cullen

Missouri Ath. Club Finalist
Leo Cullen

UMBRO Elite All-Star
Leo Cullen

UMBRO Select All-Star
R.T. Moore

Soccer America Collegiate MVP
Leo Cullen

MLS Draft Picks
Leo Cullen, No. 1 overall by Miami
R.T. Moore, 2nd Rd. by Tampa Bay

1997 Season Results

Overall Record: 16-6-1, Atlantic Coast Conference Record/Finish: 3-2-1/4th

Date	Opponent	Result	Score	Record	Goal Scorers (GWG in Italics)
8/29	at Adelphi	W	5-1	1-0-0	Cooks, *Merkel,* Sardis, Armas, McIlwain
8/31	at Hofstra	W	2-0	2-0-0	*Sardis,* Armas
9/5	SANTA CLARA	W	3-2	3-0-0	Cropley, Cooks, *Miller*
9/7	HOWARD	W	3-2 (ot)	4-0-0	Armas, Cooks, *Venditti*
9/13	#18 VIRGINIA *	T	0-0 (ot)	4-0-1	
9/17	MOUNT ST. MARY'S	W	3-1	5-0-1	*Cooks (2),* Beach
9/21	NC STATE *	L	0-1	5-1-1	
9/28	at #5 Duke *	W	2-1 (ot)	6-1-1	Venditti, *Merkel*
10/3	at Wisconsin	W	2-0	7-1-1	*Miller (2)*
10/8	at George Mason	W	2-0	8-1-1	*Beach,* Cropley
10/12	at North Carolina *	W	2-1 (ot)	9-1-1	Venditti, *McIlwain*
10/15	RICHMOND	L	0-1	9-2-1	
10/18	VILLANOVA	W	4-0	10-2-1	*Sardis,* Venditti, Moore, McIlwain
10/22	at #5 American	L	1-3	10-3-1	Sardis
10/25	WAKE FOREST *	W	2-1	11-3-1	Sardis, *Cropley*
10/29	at Loyola	W	6-0	12-3-1	*Sardis,* Beach, McIlwain, Kliebe, Cropley (2)
11/2	at #14 Clemson *	L	0-1	12-4-1	
11/8	OHIO STATE	W	2-1	13-4-1	Beach, *Miller*
	ACC Tournament at Disney Sports Complex in Orlando, Fla.				
11/13	vs. #15 Clemson	W	4-2	14-4-1	Cullen, Cropley, *Venditti,* Sardis
11/14	vs. #6 Duke	W	4-2	15-4-1	McIlwain, *Beach* (2), Cropley
11/16	vs. #7 Virginia	L	0-2	15-5-1	
	NCAA First Round				
11/23	at #13 Rutgers	W	1-0	16-5-1	*Eichmann*
	NCAA Second Round				
11/30	at #8 American	L	0-1	16-6-1	

1997 Season Statistics

Name	GP/GS	Goals	Assists	Points	Shots	GWG	Career
Jason Sardis	23/13	7	7	21	33	3	7/7/21
Jason Cropley	22/16	7	5	19	37	1	15/6/36
Keith Beach	22/22	6	4	16	39	2	15/18/48
Judah Cooks	21/21	5	4	14	37	1	12/10/34
Randy Merkel	21/21	2	10	14	24	2	4/14/22
Pierre Venditti	21/19	5	3	13	44	2	16/7/39
Mike McIlwain	20/4	5	2	12	23	0	13/10/36
Steve Armas	23/23	3	5	11	22	0	7/15/29
Kirk Miller	22/15	4	2	10	15	3	5/2/12
R.T. Moore	22/22	1	5	7	24	0	5/14/24
Leo Cullen	21/21	1	3	5	5	0	3/15/21
Rob Birch	18/4	0	3	3	12	0	0/3/3
Josh Kliebe	2/0	1	1	3	1	0	1/1/3
Jamie Eichmann	15/3	1	1	3	8	1	3/1/7
Mike Shebuski	18/8	0	2	2	3	0	0/2/2
Adam McMahon	5/0	0	1	1	0	0	0/1/1
Joe Marshburn	13/12	0	0	0	6	0	0/0/0
Greg Ramos	2/0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0/0
TOTALS	**23/23**	**48**	**58**	**154**	**350**	**16**	
OPPONENTS	**23/23**	**21**	**19**	**61**	**201**	**6**	

GOALKEEPERS

Name	GP/GS	M	Saves	GA	GAA	SO	Record
Andy Kirk	22/22	2016	81	22	0.98	7	15-6-1
Christian Lewis	2/1	103	6	1	0.87	0	2-0-0
TOTALS	**23/23**	**2119**	**87**	**23**	**0.98**	**7**	**16-6-1**
OPPONENTS	**23/23**	**2119**	**138**	**48**	**2.04**	**6**	**6-16-1**

1997 Season Highs

Team Season Highs

Goals: 6 at Loyola, Oct. 29
Assists: 7 vs. Villanova, Oct. 18
Points: 15 vs. Villanova (4 goals, 7 assts), Oct. 18
Shots: 23 vs. Howard, Sept. 7

Individual Season Highs

Goals: 2 Judah Cooks vs. Mt. St. Mary's, Sept. 17; Kirk Miller at Wisconsin, Oct. 3; Jason Cropley at Loyola, Oct. 29; Keith Beach vs. Duke, Nov. 14
Assists: 3 Jason Sardis vs. Villanova, Oct. 18
Points: 5 Judah Cooks vs. Mt. St. Mary, Sept. 17; Jason Sardis vs. Villanova, Oct. 18; Jason Cropley at Loyola, Oct. 29;
Saves: 12 Andy Kirk vs. Duke, Nov. 14

Opponent Team Season Highs

Goals: 3 by American, Oct. 22
Assists: 3 by Virginia, Nov. 16
Points: 11 by Villanova, Oct. 18
Shots: 25 by Duke, Nov. 14

Opponent Indiv. Season Highs

Goals: 3 by Scott Pearson (American, Oct. 22)
Assists: 1 numerous times
Points: 6 by Scott Pearson (American, Oct. 22)
Saves: 14 by Matt Westfall (Villanova, Oct. 18)

1997 ACC Season Review

Final Standings

	Conference				Overall				All Games		
	W	L	T	Pct.	W	L	T	Pct.	Home	Away	Neu.
Duke	4	2	0	.667	15	5	0	.750	7-3	5-1	3-1
Virginia *	3	1	2	.667	19	4	3	.788	12-2	3-3-1	4-1
NC State	4	2	0	.667	11	7	0	.611	8-2	2-3	1-2
Maryland	**3**	**2**	**1**	**.583**	**16**	**6**	**1**	**.717**	**5-2-1**	**8-3**	**3-1**
Clemson	2	3	1	.417	11	7	3	.595	9-2-2	1-3-1	0-2
Wake Forest	2	4	0	.333	10	10	0	.500	7-5	2-4	1-1
North Carolina	1	5	0	.167	6	13	0	.316	5-5	1-6	0-2

*Virginia won the ACC Tournament defeating **Maryland** 2-0 in the conference championship.

Individual Statistical Leaders

Scoring

Player, School	GP	Pts.
Ben Olsen, Virginia	24	54
Jay Heaps, Duke	20	34
Matt Leonard, Virginia	26	34
Ali Curtis, Duke	20	32
Chris Albright, Virginia	26	29
Josh Henderson, Duke	19	28
Brian West, Virginia	25	28
Wojciech Krakowiak, Clemson	20	27
Jody DeBruin, Clemson	21	25
Two tied with		22

Goals Scored

Player, School	GP	Goals
Ben Olsen, Virginia	24	19
Matt Leonard, Virginia	26	14
Ali Curtis, Duke	20	12
Jay Heaps, Duke	20	12
Chris Albright, Virginia	26	11
Wojciech Krakowiak, Clem.	20	11
Jody DeBruin, Clemson	21	9
Caleb Norkus, No. Carolina	18	9
Several tied with		8

Assists

Player, School	GP	Assts
Ben Olsen, Virginia	24	16
Josh Henderson, Duke	19	14
Brian West, Virginia	25	12
Ryan Trout, Virginia	26	11
Evan Whitfield, Duke	19	11
Jay Heaps, Duke	20	10
Randy Merkel, Maryland	**20**	**10**
Andriy Shapowal, Virginia	26	10
Carey Talley, North Carolina	19	10

Save Percentage

Player, School	Svs.	GA	Pct.
Matt Jordan, Clemson	24	23	.844
Sean Conner, Wake Forest	99	24	.805
Andy Kirk, Maryland	**81**	**22**	**.786**
Brock Yetso, Virginia	79	22	.782
Atli Knutsson, Duke	60	21	.741
Dan Alexander, NC State	72	29	.713
Daniel Popik, No. Carolina	53	26	.671

Goals Allowed Average

Player, School	GP	Min.	GAA
Brock Yetso, Virginia	22	2269	0.87
Andy Kirk, Maryland	**22**	**2016**	**0.98**
Matt Jordan, Clemson	23	1885	1.09
Sean Conner, Wake Forest	24	1864	1.16
Atli Knutsson, Duke	21	1534	1.23
Daniel Popik, No. Carolina	26	1104	2.12
Dan Alexander, NC State	29	1182	2.14

Shutouts

Player, School	GP	ShO
Sean Conner, Wake Forest	20	7
Matt Jordan, Clemson	19	7
Andy Kirk, Maryland	**22**	**7**
Atli Knutsson, Duke	17	7
Brock Yetso, Virginia	21	6
Dan Alexander, NC State	14	3
W.Woodroffe, No. Carolina	8	2
Josh Campbell, Clemson	3	1
Eric Handley, NC State	6	1
Jeff Haywood, Duke	6	1

Team Statistics

	GP	G	GA	Margin	Asst	ShO	Svs	GA	Save%	GAA
Clemson	21	44	24	0.95	48	10	126	24	.840	1.07
Duke	20	63	23	2.00	83	8	68	23	.747	1.15
Maryland	**23**	**48**	**21**	**1.17**	**58**	**7**	**87**	**23**	**.791**	**0.98**
N. Carolina	19	29	38	-0.47	28	2	83	38	.686	1.92
NC State	18	35	39	-0.22	41	4	83	39	.629	2.14
Virginia	26	61	24	1.42	89	8	80	24	.769	0.87
Wake Forest	20	45	24	1.05	50	8	100	24	.806	1.15

1997 ACC Honor Roll

All-ACC First Team

Ali Curtis, Duke, Fr., Forward
Pierre Venditti, Maryland, Jr., Forward
Brian West, Virginia, So., Forward
Jay Heaps, Duke, Jr., Midfielder
Pablo Mastroeni, NC State, Sr., Midfielder
Ben Olsen, Virginia, Jr., Midfielder
Carey Talley, North Carolina, Sr., Midfielder
Matt Chulis, Virginia, Jr., Defender
Leo Cullen, Maryland, Sr., Defender
Scott Vermillion, Virginia, Jr., Defender
Matt Jordan, Clemson, Sr., Goalkeeper

Second Team All-ACC

Troy Garner, Duke, So., Forward
Chris Welling, NC State, So., Forward
John Wilson, Clemson, Jr., Forward
Keith Beach, Maryland, Jr., Midfielder
Judah Cooks, Maryland, Jr., Midfielder
Josh Henderson, Duke, Jr., Midfielder
Evan Whitfield, Duke, Jr., Midfielder
Chad Evans, Wake Forest, So., Defender
R.T. Moore, Maryland, Sr., Defender
Robert Russell, Duke, Fr., Defender
Dan Alexander, NC State, Sr., Goalkeeper

ACC Player of the Year

Leo Cullen, Maryland

ACC Rookie of the Year

Jason Moore, Virginia

ACC Coach of the Year

John Rennie, Duke

All-Time Results

Year	Record	ACC Rec.	Head Coach	Postseason
1953 *	8-2-0	3-0-0	Doyle Royal	
1954 *	5-4-2	3-0-1	Doyle Royal	
1955 *	8-2-0	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	
1956 *	9-2-0	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	
1957 *	8-1-1	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	
1958 *	9-0-1	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	
1959 *	8-1-0	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	NCAA 1st Round
1960 *	9-2-1	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	National Runner-Up
1961 *	9-1-1	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	NCAA 1st Round
1962 *	10-1-0	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	National Runner-Up
1963 *	10-3-0	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	NCAA Semifinals
1964 *	8-3-0	4-0-0	Doyle Royal	NCAA 1st Round
1965 *	6-2-0	6-2-0	Doyle Royal	
1966 *	6-3-1	3-1-0	Doyle Royal	
1967 *	9-2-1	5-0-0	Doyle Royal	NCAA 1st Round
1968 *	14-0-1	5-0-0	Doyle Royal	National Co-Champs
1969	9-1-2	4-0-1	Doyle Royal	NCAA Semifinals
1970	8-2-1	3-1-0	Doyle Royal	NCAA 1st Round
1971 *	7-4-1	4-1-0	Doyle Royal	NCAA 1st Round
1972	4-4-2	1-3-1	Doyle Royal	
1973	8-4-1	3-1-1	Doyle Royal	NCAA 1st Round
1974	5-3-5	3-1-1	Doyle Royal	
1975	6-5-1	2-3-0	Doyle Royal	
1976	7-4-2	2-1-2	Jim Dietsch	NCAA 1st Round
1977	9-5-0	3-2-0	Jim Dietsch	
1978	5-7-2	1-4-0	Jim Dietsch	
1979	5-12-0	0-5-0	Jim Dietsch	
1980	3-23-0	0-6-0	Joe Grimaldi	
1981	5-7-4	0-5-1	Joe Grimaldi	
1982	10-6-3	2-3-1	Joe Grimaldi	
1983	5-9-3	1-4-1	Joe Grimaldi	
1984	7-10-1	0-6-0	Joe Grimaldi	
1985	15-5-1	2-4-0	Alden Shattuck	
1986	14-4-1	3-3-0	Alden Shattuck	NCAA 1st Round
1987	9-6-5	3-3-0	Alden Shattuck	
1988	9-7-3	2-4-0	Alden Shattuck	
1989	9-7-3	3-2-1	Alden Shattuck	
1990	10-8-1	3-3-0	Alden Shattuck	
1991	5-9-4	1-4-1	Alden Shattuck	
1992	5-12-0	0-5-0	Alden Shattuck	
1993	3-14-1	1-5-0	Sasho Cirovski	
1994	14-6-1	3-3-0	Sasho Cirovski	NCAA 2nd Round
1995	13-6-2	4-1-1	Sasho Cirovski	NCAA 2nd Round
1996 $	14-6-3	2-2-2	Sasho Cirovski	NCAA 2nd Round
1997	16-6-1	3-2-1	Sasho Cirovski	NCAA 2nd Round
	375-231-63	*124-90-16*	*5 Coaches*	*18 Appearances*

- Denotes ACC Regular Season Champions
$- Denotes ACC Postseason Tournament Champions

NCAA History

1959 - First Round
1st Round - West Chester def. Maryland, 1-0

1960 - National Runners-up
1st Round - Maryland def. Rutgers, 4-3 (OT); *Semifinal* - Maryland def. Connecticut, 4-0; ***Championship Game*** - St. Louis def. Maryland, 3-2.

1961- First Round
1st Round - West Chester def. Maryland, 4-2

1962 - National Runners-up
1st Round - Maryland def. Pittsburgh, 4-3; *Semifinal* - Maryland def. Springfield, 5-0; ***Championship Game*** - St. Louis def. Maryland, 4-3.

1963 - Semifinalists
1st Round - Maryland def. Drexel, 5-3; *Quarterfinal* - Maryland def. Bridgewater, 5-3; *Semifinal* - St. Louis def. Maryland, 7-3.

1964 - First Round
1st Round - Michigan State def. Maryland, 1-0

1967 - First Round
1st Round - Michigan State def. Maryland, 4-1

1968 - National Co-Champions
2nd Round - Maryland def. St. Louis, 3-1; *Quarterfinal* - Maryland def. Hartwick, 2-1; *Semifinal* - Maryland def. San Jose State, 4-3 (OT); ***Championship Game*** - Maryland tied Michigan State, 2-2 (OT)

1969 - Semifinalists
1st Round - Maryland def. Virginia, 5-0; *2nd Round* - Maryland def. South Florida, 4-1; *Quarterfinal* - Maryland def. Penn, 1-0; *Semifinal* - San Francisco def. Maryland, 1-0

1970 - First Round
1st Round - Howard def. Maryland, 2-0

1971 - First Round
1st Round - Virginia def. Maryland, 2-1

1973 - First Round
1st Round - James Madison def. Maryland, 1-0

1976 - First Round
1st Round - Howard def. Maryland, 3-1

1986 - First Round
1st Round - George Mason def. Maryland, 2-1

1994 - Second Round
1st Round - Maryland def. Georgetown, 4-3 (OT); *2nd Round* - Virginia def. Maryland, 2-1

1995 - Second Round
1st Round - Maryland def. Penn State, 2-0; *2nd Round* - James Madison tied Maryland, 2-2 (James Madison advances via penalty kicks, 4-3)

1996 - Second Round
1st Round - Maryland def. James Madison, 2-1; *2nd Round* - William & Mary def. Maryland, 3-0

1997 - Second Round
1st Round - Maryland def. Rutgers, 1-0; *2nd Round* - American def. Maryland, 1-0.

Note: From 1959-62 the tournament was an 8-team field. From 1963-67 the tournament was a 16-team field. In 1968 the tournament was a 21-team field. From 1969-93 the tournament was a 24-team field. Since 1994 the tournament has been a 32-team field.

All-Time Coaching History

Doyle Royal
23 Years
183-52-22 Overall
85-13-5 ACC

Jim Dietsch
4 Years
26-28-4 Overall
6-12-2 ACC

Joe Grimaldi
5 Years
30-55-11 Overall
3-24-3 ACC

Alden Shattuck
8 Years
76-58-18 Overall
17-28-2 ACC

Sasho Cirovski
5 Years
60-38-8 Overall
13-13-4 ACC

The Record Book

All-Time Career Points Leaders

Eberhard Klein
109 Points
(1962-64)

Shane Dougherty
97 Points
(1993-96)

Rocco Morelli
94 Points
(1968-69)

Rasim Tugbeck
80 Points
(1969-70)

Cliff Krug
80 Points
(1959-60)

Dom Feltham
73 Points
(1986-89)

Carlos Martin
73 Points
(1959-61)

John Garvey
72 Points
(1987-90)

Oyton Tertemiz
66 Points
(1961-63)

Gary Furlong
60 Points
(1985-86)

All-Americans

First-Team All-Americans

Jim Belt, 1947, 1948
Giancalo Bradoni, 1967, 1968
Leo Cullen, 1997
Roy Eales, 1964
Charley Ernest, 1939, 1940
Gary Furlong, 1986
Charley Hunt, 1939, 1940
Mario Jelencovich, 1968
Fritz Maisel, 1940
Kenneth Ports, 1941
Rasim Tugberk, 1969

Second-Team All-Americans

Jim Belt, 1950
John Coates, 1959
Leo Cullen, 1996
Roy Eales, 1965
Mario Jelencovich, 1967
Eberhard Klein, 1964
Andy McDonald, 1957
Rocco Morelli, 1968
Roy Skinner, 1957
George Taratsides, 1972
Oyton Tertemiz, 1963

Soccer News First-Team All-Americans

Leo Cullen, 1996

Honorable Mention All-Americans

Tom Baden, 1952, 1953
Eric Baer, 1951
Ersin Bacinoglu, 1963
Jim Belt, 1947
Ercument Berilgen, 1973
Alvaro Bitencourt, 1966
Giancalo Bradoni, 1967
John Clark, 1947
Dick Cleveland, 1947
Thomas Cruikshank, 1940
Tom Hamilton, 1951
Wendell Johnson, 1954
Eberhard Klein, 1963
Dan Kupchyk, 1964
Basilio Liacuris, 1959
Jim Linz, 1948
Carlos Martin, 1959
Bob Melvin, 1940
Harold Menninger, 1961
Ed Reider, 1947
Richard Romaine, 1959
Art Rudy, 1939
Jim Savage, 1951
Max Schroeder, 1940
Melih Sensoy, 1970
Dick Siderburg, 1950
Nick Skirka, 1970
George Taratsides, 1973
Oyton Tertemiz, 1961, 1962
Danny Terzi, 1948
Bob Vosswinkle, 1960
Charles Wicker, 1956
Mike Wilson, 1972
Otto Winckelmann, 1954

All-ACC Selections

First-Team All-ACC

Thomas Armenti, 1971
Desmond Armstrong, 1984
Karl Ashlock, 1970
Ercument Berilgen, 1973-75
Alvaro Bittencourt, 1968
Scott Boddery, 1977-79
Giancarlo Brandoni, 1968
Nigel Burdett, 1989-90
Jerry Chareczko, 1969
Mick Collins, 1985
Jack Copetti, 1986-88
Leo Cullen, 1995-97
Desmond Armstrong, 1984
Claude England, 1977
Dom Feltham, 1989
Mario Jelencovich, 1968
Peter Hamilton, 1971-72
Tod Herskovitz, 1994
Carmina Isacco, 1990-92
Dom Macina, 1987
Rocco Morelli, 1968
Larry Ruhs, 1968
Melih Sensoy, 1968-71
Nick Skirka, 1969-71
Gonzolo Soto, 1975-76
George Taratsides, 1971, 1973
Rasim Tugberk, 1969-70
Pierre Venditti, 1997
Ken Wilkerson, 1981
Mike Wilson, 1969, 70
Frederico Winckelmann, 1974-75

Second-Team All-ACC

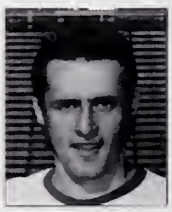
Desmond Armstrong, 1983
Keith Beach, 1996-97
Judah Cooks, 1997
Shane Dougherty, 1994
Jim Fink, 1983
Tod Herskovitz, 1995
Carmina Isacco, 1989
R.T. Moore, 1997
Russell Payne, 1994
Jeff Stroud, 1991-92

ACC Player of the Year

Nick Skirka, 1970
Leo Cullen, 1997

ACC Coach of the Year

Jim Dietsch, 1976
Joe Grimaldi, 1982



1970 ACC Player of the Year Nick Skirka

1997 ACC Player of the Year Leo Cullen

The Record Book

Career Goals

1.	45	Cliff Krug (1958-60)
2.	42	Eberhard Klein (1962-64)
3.	39	Rocco Morelli (1968-69)
4.	38	Shane Dougherty (1993-96)
5.	32	Otto Winkelmann (1951-54)
	32	Oyton Tertemiz (1961-63)
7.	31	Rasim Tugberk (1969-70)
	31	Dom Feltham (1986-89)
9.	27	Gary Furlong (1985-86)
10.	26	Juan Martin (1959-61)

Career Assists

1.	25	Eberhard Klein (1962-64)
2.	21	Shane Dougherty (1993-96)
3.	**18**	**Keith Beach (1995-present)**
4.	16	Gino Ferrin (1985-86)
	16	Rocco Morelli (1968-69)
6.	15	Dom Feltham (1986-89)
	15	Leo Cullen (1994-97)
	15	**Steve Armas (1995-present)**
10.	14	R.T. Moore (1994-97)
	14	**Randy Merkel (1996-present)**

Single-Season Goals

1.	26	Cliff Krug (1960)
2.	20	Rocco Morelli (1968)
3.	19	Rasim Tugberk (1969)
	19	Rocco Morelli (1969)
5.	17	Shane Dougherty (1994)
	17	Eberhard Klein (1964)
	17	Eberhard Klein (1963)
8.	15	Shane Dougherty (1996)
9.	14	Gary Furlong (1986)
	14	Cliff Krug (1953)
	14	Richard Roe (1961)

Single-Season Assists

1.	14	Gino Ferrin (1985)
2.	13	Eberhard Klein (1964)
3	12	Carlos Martin (1961)
4.	**11**	**Keith Beach (1996)**
5.	10	Rocco Morelli (1969)
	10	**Randy Merkel (1997)**
7.	9	John Garvey (1990)
8.	8	Malcolm Gilliam (1994)
	8	Tod Herskovitz (1994)
	8	Rasim Tubgerk (1970)

Single-Season Points

1.	52	Cliff Krug (1960)
2.	48	Rocco Moreli (1969)
3.	47	Eberhard Klein (1964)
4.	46	Rocco Morelli (1968)
5.	42	Rasim Tugberk (1969)
6.	36	Shane Dougherty (1996)
7.	32	Rasim Tugberk (1970)
8.	31	Gary Furlong (1986)
9.	29	Gary Furlong (1985)
	29	Larry Ruhs (1968)

Single Game Records

Goals: 7 by Eberhard Klein vs. Georgetown (1963)
Assists: 3 by Jason Sardis vs. Villanova (10-18-97)
Points: 14 by Eberhard Klein vs. Georgetown (1963)

Season Records

Goals: 26 by Cliff Krug (1960)
Assists: 14 by Gino Ferrin (1985)
Points: 52 by Ciff Krug (1960)

Career Records

Goals: 45 by Cliff Krug (1958-60)
Assists: 25 by Eberhard Klein (1962-64)
Points: 109 by Eberhard Klein (1962-64)

Season Goalie Records

Saves: 133 by Dom Macina (1987)
Shutouts: 9 by Dom Macina (1985)
ACC Shutouts: 5 by Dom Macina (1985)
Goals Against Avg.: 0.68 by Dom Macina (1985)

Career Goalie Records

Saves: 385 by Carmine Isacco (1989-92)
Shutouts: 27 by Dom Macina (1985-88)
Goals Against Avg.: 0.82 by Dom Macina (1985-88)

Team Records

Single Game

Goals:	12 vs. NC State (1956)
Points:	24 vs. NC State (1956)
Goals Allowed:	11 by Penn State (1952)
Margin of Victory:	12, (UM 12, NC State 0, 1956)
Margin of Defeat:	11, (Penn St. 11, UM 0, 1952)

Season

Goals:	61 in 13 games (1963)
Wins:	16 (16-6-1, 1997)
Losses:	14 (3-14-1, 1993)
Shutouts:	10 (1982)
Consec. ShO:	5 (1982)
Goals Allowed:	6 in 10 games (1956)
Win Pct.:	.967 (14-0-1, 1968)
ACC Record:	5-0 (1967, 1968)

The Terps were co-national champions in 1968.

Dom Macina holds nearly every Terp goalie mark.

The 1957 squad, which won UM's 5th straight ACC title.

Most Goals in a Game

1.	7	by Eberhard Klein vs. Georgetown (1963)
2.	6	by Carlos Martin vs. N.C. State (1961)
	6	by Richard Roe vs. North Carolina (1962)
4.	5	by Oyton Tertemiz vs. Georgetown (1961)
	5	by Cliff Krug vs. Johns Hopkins (1960)
	5	by Forrest vs. Washington & Lee (1958)
7.	4	by Shane Dougherty vs. UMBC (9-7-94)
	4	by Micky McCarthy vs. George Washington (1970)
	4	by Rasim Tugberk vs. Clemson (1969)
	4	by Casey vs. NC State (1966)
	4	by Bill Oxenham vs. Penn State (1965)
	4	by Oyton Tertemiz vs. Georgetown (1962)
	4	by Cliff Krug vs. North Carolina (1960)
16.	3	by 10 players (last by Jeff Stroud vs. UMBC, 1992)

Carlos Martin

All-Time Game-by-Game Results

1968
14-0-1 Overall, 5-0 ACC, Co-National Champions
Head Coach Doyle Royal

10-2	at Howard	W	3-2
10-S	at Clemson*	W	3-1
10-7	at NC State*	W	6-1
10-11	G.WASHINGTON	W	10-1
10-16	at Catholic	W	2-1
10-23	NAVY	W	ot 2-1
10-26	at Georgetown	W	1-0
10-29	at Virginia*	W	S-0
11-2	PENN STATE	W	6-0
11-9	DUKE*	W	4-0
11-11	N. CAROLINA*	W	3-1
11-22	ST. LOUIS!	W	3-1
11-30	HARTWICK!	W	2-1
12-5	at San Jose State!	W	ot 4-3
12-7	at Michigan State!	T	ot 2-2

**ACC Game, !NCAA Tournament*

Alvaro Bitencourt in 1968

1969
11-2-2 Overall, 3-1-1 ACC,
Head Coach Doyle Royal

10-1	at G.Washington	W	3-0
10-3	CLEMSON*	W	6-1
10-6	NC STATE*	W	5-0
10-13	HOWARD	W	4-0
10-15	CATHOLIC	W	4-1
10-22	at Navy	T	ot 1-1
10-28	VIRGINIA*	T	ot 2-2
11-1	at Penn State	W	6-0
11-4	GEORGETOWN	W	S-0
11-8	at Duke*	W	4-0
11-10	at North Carolina*	L	3-2
	VIRGINIA!	W	5-0
	SOUTH FLORIDA!	W	4-1
	PENNSYLVANIA!	W	ot 1-0
	vs. San Francisco!	L	1-0

**ACC Game, !NCAA Tournament*

1970
8-4-1 Overall, 4-1 ACC
Head Coach Doyle Royal

9-30	G.WASHINGTON	W	6-3
10-3	at Howard	L	2-1
10-6	at NC State*	W	6-0
10-13	at Catholic	W	3-0
10-18	at Virginia*	W	3-2
10-24	at Clemson*	W	4-0
10-28	NAVY	L	2-1
10-31	PENN STATE	W	3-2
11-3	at Georgetown	W	7-0
11-6	DUKE*	W	6-0
11-9	NO. CAROLINA*	L	3-2
11-16	at Howard!	L	2-0

**ACC Game, !NCAA Tournament*

1971
7-4-1 Overall, 4-1 ACC
Head Coach Doyle Royal

10-3	NC State*	W	4-0
10-8	CLEMSON*	W	2-1
10-13	VIRGINIA*	L	2-1
10-19	CATHOLIC	W	3-0
10-23	G.WASHINGTON	W	5-3
10-27	at Navy	L	3-2
10-30	at Penn State	T	3-3
11-3	GEORGETOWN	W	7-1
11-6	at Duke*	W	2-0
11-8	at North Carolina*	W	3-1
11-13	HOWARD	L	2-0
	at West Virginia!	L	1-0

**ACC Game, !NCAA Tournament*

1972
4-4-2 Overall, 1-3-1 ACC
Head Coach Doyle Royal

	at NC State*	W	2-1
	at Catholic	W	4-3
	at Virginia*	T	1-1
	PENN STATE	T	0-0
	at Howard	L	3-0
	NAVY	W	2-0
	N.CAROLINA*	L	2-1
	DUKE*	L	2-1
	at G.Washington	W	4-2
11-12	at Clemson*	L	3-0

**ACC Game*

1973
8-4-1 Overall, 3-1-1 ACC
Head Coach Doyle Royal

9-22	BALTIMORE	L	2-0
9-29	NC STATE*	W	5-0
10-S	VIRGINIA*	W	3-1
10-9	CATHOLIC	W	3-0
10-13	at Towson State	W	3-1
10-19	at Penn State	L	S-1
10-26	at G.Washington	W	4-2
10-31	at Navy	W	4-2
11-3	at Duke*	W	6-0
11-5	at North Carolina*	T	1-1
11-11	CLEMSON*	L	2-1
11-1S	HOWARD	W	2-1
11-22	JAMES MADISON!	L	1-0

**ACC Game, !NCAA Tournament*

1974
5-3-5 Overall, 3-1-1 ACC
Head Coach Doyle Royal

9-21	at Baltimore	L	3-2
9-25	AMERICAN	W	3-2
9-29	JAMES MADISON	T	1-1
10-4	at Virginia*	W	1-0
10-8	at Catholic	T	3-3
10-13	TOWSON STATE	W	S-1
10-18	PENN STATE	T	1-1
10-23	G.WASHINGTON	L	2-0
10-27	at NC State*	W	3-1
10-30	NAVY	T	0-0
11-2	DUKE*	W	3-1
11-4	N. CAROLINA*	T	0-0
11-10	CLEMSON*	L	S-0

**ACC Game*

1975
6-5-1 Overall, 2-3 ACC
Head Coach Doyle Royal

9-20	UMBC	L	1-0
9-24	at American	T	0-0
9-28	at James Madison	W	3-1
10-4	CATHOLIC	W	3-0
10-11	NC STATE*	W	2-0
10-17	at Penn State	W	2-1
10-22	at G.Washington	W	3-1
10-2S	VIRGINIA*	W	6-1
10-29	at Navy	L	ot 2-1
11-1	at Duke*	L	2-0
11-3	at North Carolina*	T	0-0
11-9	CLEMSON*	W	S-1

**ACC Game*

1976
8-4-1 Overall, 1-3-1 ACC
Head Coach Jim Dietsch

9-18	at Baltimore	L	2-0
9-22	AMERICAN	W	2-1
9-2S	G.WASHINGTON	W	1-0
10-1	at NC State*	W	3-2
10-S	at Catholic	W	6-0
10-10	JAMES MADISON	W	2-1
10-15	at Penn State	L	4-0
10-19	NAVY	W	2-0
10-23	at Virginia*	W	3-2
10-29	DUKE*	W	3-0
11-1	N.CAROLINA*	L	1-0
11-7	at Clemson*	T	ot 1-1
	at Howard!	L	3-1

**ACC Game, !NCAA Tournament*

1977
9-5 Overall, 3-2 ACC
Head Coach Jim Dietsch

9-10	at James Madison	L	2-1
9-14	BALTIMORE	W	1-0
9-19	at American	W	1-0
9-24	at G.Washington	W	2-1
10-1	vs. San Francisco	L	S-4
10-2	vs. St. Joseph's	W	1-0
10-8	NC STATE*	W	2-0
10-11	at Navy	W	2-1
10-15	at Penn State	L	S-0
10-19	CATHOLIC	W	2-0
10-22	VIRGINIA*	W	4-2
10-29	at Duke*	W	3-1
10-30	at North Carolina*	L	2-0
11-6	CLEMSON*	L	2-1

**ACC Game*

1978
5-7-2 Overall, 1-4 ACC
Head Coach Jim Dietsch

9-10	JAMES MADISON	W	2-1
9-16	AMERICAN	W	4-2
9-23	G.WASHINGTON	L	1-0
9-27	at Howard	W	1-0
9-30	NAVY	T	1-1
10-7	at NC State*	L	S-3
10-14	PENN STATE	L	1-0
10-16	vs. Guilford	T	0-0
10-18	at Catholic	W	6-0
10-21	at Baltimore	L	2-0
10-28	DUKE*	W	3-0
11-1	N.CAROLINA*	L	1-0
11-5	at Clemson*	L	2-1
11-11	at Virginia*	L	3-1

**ACC Game*

1979
5-12 Overall, 0-5 ACC
Head Coach Jim Dietsch

9-9	at James Madison	W	1-0
9-1S	VIRGINIA*	L	1-0
9-19	at American	W	2-1
9-22	at Navy	L	1-0
9-29	vs. Michigan State	L	2-0
9-30	at Loyola	L	1-0
10-3	at G.Washington	L	2-1
10-6	NC STATE*	L	3-2
10-9	at Towson State	L	2-1
10-12	at Penn State	W	1-0
10-17	CATHOLIC	W	4-1
10-20	HOWARD	L	1-0
10-24	BALTIMORE	L	1-0
10-27	at Duke*	L	4-3
10-29	at North Carolina*	L	1-0
11-4	CLEMSON*	L	3-0
11-7	OLD DOMINION	W	1-0

**ACC Game*

1980
3-12 Overall, 0-6 ACC
Head Coach Joe Grimaldi

9-12	at Virginia*	L	2-1
9-17	AMERICAN	L	4-0
9-20	NAVY	W	2-1
9-27	JAMES MADISON	W	2-0
10-1	G.WASHINGTON	L	1-0
10-4	at NC State*	L	6-0
10-6	at Wake Forest*	L	2-1
10-10	PENN STATE	W	2-1
10-1S	at Catholic	L	3-1
10-18	TOWSON	L	2-0
10-22	at Baltimore	L	1-0
10-25	DUKE*	L	2-0
10-29	N. CAROLINA*	L	2-0
11-2	at Clemson*	L	1-0
11-9	at Old Dominion	L	4-0

**ACC Game*

1981
5-7-4 Overall, 0-5-1 ACC
Head Coach Joe Grimaldi

9-12	VIRGINIA*	L	1-0
9-16	at American	T	0-0
9-20	at Navy	T	1-1
9-23	at Towson State	W	2-1
9-27	at James Madison	T	0-0
9-30	at G.Washington	W	1-0
10-4	NC STATE*	T	0-0
10-9	at Penn State	L	2-0
10-14	CATHOLIC	W	3-0
10-16	WAKE FOREST*	L	2-1
10-21	BALTIMORE	W	1-0
10-24	at Duke*	L	S-0
10-26	at North Carolina*	L	2-0
11-4	at Georgetown	W	2-0
11-8	CLEMSON*	L	4-0
11-11	at Loyola	L	1-0

** ACC Game*

Brian Barbazette in 1979

Records prior to 1968 are unavailable.

All-Time Game-by-Game Results

1982
10-6-3 Overall, 2-3-1 ACC
Head Coach Joe Grimaldi

9-11	CATHOLIC	W	4-0
9-12	DELAWARE	L	1-0
9-15	AMERICAN	L	2-0
9-18	NAVY	W	S-0
9-22	at Baltimore	W	3-0
9-25	at Virginia*	L	2-1
9-29	G.WASHINGTON	T	1-1
10-2	TOWSON STATE	W	2-0
10-6	VCU	W	2-1
10-10	DUKE*	T	1-1
10-12	at UMBC	T	0-0
10-15	at NC State*	L	S-0
10-17	at Wake Forest*	W	1-0
10-22	RICHMOND	W	4-0
10-27	N.CAROLINA*	W	1-0
10-30	at Mount. St. Mary's	W	1-0
11-3	GEORGETOWN	W	3-0
11-7	at Clemson*	L	3-0
11-11	LOYOLA	L	2-1

*ACC Game

1983
5-9-3 Overall, 1-4-1 ACC
Head Coach Joe Grimaldi

9-10	DELAWARE	L	3-0
9-11	JAMES MADISON	W	2-0
9-14	at American	L	1-0
9-18	NC STATE*	W	2-1
9-21	UMBC	T	2-2
9-25	VIRGINIA*	L	4-1
9-28	at G.Washington	L	3-1
10-1	at Loyola	L	4-1
10-5	at Towson State	L	1-0
10-9	at Duke*	L	3-1
10-16	WAKE FOREST*	T	1-1
10-19	at Navy	W	4-2
10-22	at North Carolina*	L	2-0
10-26	BROOKLYN	T	1-1
10-30	MT. ST. MARY'S	W	4-0
11-2	at Georgetown	W	3-1
11-6	CLEMSON*	L	1-0

*ACC Game

1984
7-10-1 Overall, 0-6 ACC
Head Coach Joe Grimaldi

	CATHOLIC	W	1-0
	at Brooklyn	T	1-1
	AMERICAN	L	3-0
	at Mount St. Mary's	W	4-1
	UMBC	W	3-0
9-22	at Virginia*	L	8-1
	at NC State*	L	1-0
	LOYOLA	W	4-1
	DUKE*	L	3-0
	NAVY	L	1-0
10-14	at Wake Forest*	L	2-1
	G.WASHINGTON	L	2-1
10-21	N. CAROLINA*	L	1-0
	TOWSON STATE	L	2-1
10-28	at Clemson*	L	S-0
	GEORGETOWN	W	4-0
	at Virginia Tech	W	4-2
	at Salisbury State	W	3-0

*ACC Game

1985
15-5-1 Overall, 2-4 ACC
Head Coach Alden Shattuck

9-7	at Catholic	W	4-0
9-11	at American	L	1-0
9-13	HOWARD	W	1-0
9-15	MT. ST. MARY'S	W	1-0
9-18	at UMBC	W	8-0
9-22	VIRGINIA*	L	2-0
9-25	at Navy	W	4-3
9-28	NC STATE*	L	2-0
10-2	at Loyola	W	2-0
10-5	at Duke*	W	3-2
10-9	PHILA.TEXTILE	W	3-0
10-13	WAKE FOREST*	W	3-0
10-16	at G.Washington	W	1-0
10-20	at North Carolina*	L	1-0
10-23	at Towson State	W	1-0
10-27	VIRGINIA TECH	W	6-0
10-30	at Georgetown	W	5-1
11-3	CLEMSON*	L	2-1
11-6	SALISBURY STATE	W	4-0
11-8	at Tampa	W	1-0
11-10	at Central Florida	T	1-1

*ACC Game

1986
14-4-1 Overall, 3-3 ACC
Head Coach Alden Shattuck

	CATHOLIC	W	4-0
	at Richmond	W	2-1
	AMERICAN	W	1-0
	HOWARD	W	3-0
	LOYOLA	T	1-1
9-21	at Virginia*	L	1-0
	NAVY	W	2-0
	at NC State*	L	1-0
	UMBC	W	6-0
	DUKE*	W	1-0
	at Phila.Textile	W	1-0
10-12	at Wake Forest*	W	1-0
	G.WASHINGTON	W	3-0
10-19	N. CAROLINA*	W	3-2
	TOWSON STATE	W	3-1
	at Old Dominion	W	3-0
	GEORGETOWN	W	S-0
11-9	at Clemson*	L	2-1
	at George Mason!	L	2-1

*ACC Game, !NCAA Tournament

1987
9-6-5 Overall, 3-3 ACC
Head Coach Alden Shattuck

9-2	S. CONNECTICUT	L	3-2
9-5	COAST. CAROLINA	W	2-1
9-9	at American	T	1-1
9-13	RICHMOND	W	3-0
9-16	at Loyola	T	1-1
9-20	VIRGINIA*	L	1-0
9-23	at Navy	W	1-0
9-27	NC State*	W	3-0
9-30	at UMBC	W	2-0
10-4	at Duke*	L	1-0
10-7	PHILA.TEXTILE	L	1-0
10-11	WAKE FOREST*	T	0-0
	at G.Washington	L	1-0
	at North Carolina*	W	2-0
	at Towson State	W	4-1
	CLEMSON*	W	1-0
	HOWARD	T	1-1
	GEORGE MASON	L	1-0
11-5	Wake Forest#	W	2-1
11-6	vs. NC State#	T	0-0

*ACC Game, #ACC Taurnament

1988
8-7-3 Overall, 2-4 ACC
Head Coach Alden Shattuck

9-1	at Howard	L	1-0
9-5	WIS.-GREEN BAY	T	1-1
9-7	AMERICAN	W	2-1
9-10	DETROIT	W	4-0
9-14	LOYOLA	W	3-1
9-18	at Virginia*	L	2-1
9-21	at Richmond	W	2-1
9-25	at NC State*	L	2-1
9-28	UMBC	W	5-1
10-1	DUKE*	W	3-2
10-5	at Phila.Textile	T	2-2
10-9	at Wake Forest*	L	3-1
10-12	G.WASHINGTON	T	1-1
10-16	N.CAROLINA*	L	3-2
10-19	TOWSON STATE	W	7-0
10-23	at Clemson*	W	2-1
10-26	OLD DOMINION	L	2-1
10-29	at George Mason	T	1-1
11-3	vs. NC State#	L	2-0

*ACC Game, #ACC Taurnament

1989
9-7-2 Overall, 3-2-1 ACC
Head Coach Alden Shattuck

9-1	at UMBC	W	3-0
9-3	HOWARD	L	S-0
9-6	at American	W	2-0
9-9	vs. Lafayette	W	2-0
9-10	at E. Stroudsburg	L	3-1
9-13	at Loyola	W	2-0
9-17	VIRGINIA*	L	4-1
9-24	NC STATE*	W	1-0
9-29	at Duke*	T	ot 0-0
10-4	DIST. OF COLUMBIA	L	3-0
10-8	WAKE FOREST*	L	2ot 1-0
10-11	at G.Washington	W	4-1
10-15	at North Carolina*	W	2-0
10-22	CLEMSON*	W	1-0
10-25	at Old Dominion	T	2ot 0-0
10-29	GEORGE MASON	L	1-0
11-2	vs. North Carolina#	W	2-1
11-3	vs. Wake Forest#	L	1-0

*ACC Game, #ACC Taurnament

1990
10-8-1 Overall, 3-3 ACC
Head Coach Alden Shattuck

9-1	at Lafayette	W	4-0
9-3	at Howard	W	2-0
9-5	at James Madison	W	1-0
9-8	COAST. CAROLINA	L	2-1
9-12	LOYOLA	T	2-2
9-16	at Virginia*	W	1-0
9-19	AMERICAN	L	2-1
9-22	at NC State*	L	4-2
9-26	TOWSON STATE	W	1-0
9-30	DUKE*	L	2-1
10-3	DIST. OF COLUMBIA	W	6-1
10-7	at Wake Forest*	W	2-1
10-10	G.WASHINGTON	L	1-0
10-14	N. CAROLINA*	W	2-1
10-17	RICHMOND	W	2ot 6-3
10-21	at Clemson*	L	3-1
10-24	OLD DOMINION	W	2-0
10-28	RADFORD	L	2-1
11-1	vs. NC State#	L	3-1

*ACC Game, ACC Tournament

1991
5-9-4 Overall, 1-4-1 ACC
Head Coach Alden Shattuck

9-8	HOWARD	L	2-0
9-11	at Loyola	T	ot 1-1
9-15	VIRGINIA*	L	3-0
9-18	at American	T	ot 0-0
9-22	NC STATE*	L	4-0
9-25	at Towson State	L	3-2
9-28	at Richmond	L	2-0
10-2	LAFAYETTE	W	6-0
10-6	WAKE FOREST*	T	ot 0-0
10-9	at Mount St. Mary's	W	3-1
10-13	at North Carolina*	W	ot 1-0
10-16	DIST. OF COLUMBIA	W	2-0
10-20	CLEMSON*	L	2-0
10-23	LASALLE	W	2-1
10-27	at Duke*	L	4-1
10-30	JAMES MADISON	T	ot 1-1
11-2	at Old Dominion	L	4-0
11-7	vs. NC State#	L	2-0

*ACC Game, #ACC Taurnament

1992
5-12 Overall, 0-5 ACC
Head Coach Alden Shattuck

9-5	at Howard	L	2-1
9-9	OLD DOMINION	L	2-1
9-13	at Virginia*	L	S-1
9-16	AMERICAN	W	2-1
9-20	at NC State*	L	ot 2-1
9-23	TOWSON STATE	L	2-1
9-27	DUKE*	L	3-1
9-30	at Lafayette	L	3-2
10-7	MT. ST. MARY'S	W	3-1
10-11	N. CAROLINA*	L	1-0
10-14	at G.Washington	W	4-0
10-18	UMBC	W	4-1
10-21	at LaSalle	L	2-1
10-25	at Clemson*	L	2-1
10-28	at James Madison	W	2-1
11-1	LOYOLA	L	2-0
11-5	vs. NC State#	L	S-2

*ACC Game, #ACC Tournament

1993
3-14-1 Overall, 1-5 ACC
Head Coach Sasho Cirovski

9-4	at Akron	L	4-1
9-6	CLEVELAND STATE	W	3-0
9-8	at UMBC	L	ot 3-1
9-12	VIRGINIA*	L	1-0
9-15	at American	L	2-0
9-19	NC STATE*	W	2-1
9-22	at Towson State	L	ot 2-1
9-26	at Duke*	L	3-2
10-3	WAKE FOREST*	L	2-1
10-6	at Mount St. Mary's	W	2-0
10-10	at North Carolina*	L	1-0
10-11	CAMPBELL	L	6-3
10-17	CLEMSON*	L	S-1
10-20	G.WASHINGTON	L	1-0
10-22	at Old Dominion	L	2-1
10-27	JAMES MADISON	L	3-2
11-1	at Loyola	T	ot 0-0
11-4	vs. Duke#	L	3-2

*ACC Game, #ACC Tournament

All-Time Game-by-Game Results

1994
14-6-1 Overall, 3-3 ACC
Head Coach Sasho Cirovski

9-3	OLD DOMINION	W	2-0
9-7	UMBC	W	6-0
9-9	at Virginia*	L	4-2
9-14	AMERICAN	W	4-2
9-18	at NC State*	L	4-3
9-21	TOWSON STATE	W	4-0
9-25	DUKE*	W	3-1
9-28	at James Madison	W	2-1
10-2	at Wake Forest*	W	1-0
10-6	MT. ST. MARY'S	L	2-1
10-9	BUTLER	W	5-0
10-14	PRINCETON	T	2-2
10-16	DARTMOUTH	W	ot 2-0
10-19	at G.Washington	W	1-0
10-23	at Clemson*	L	4-2
10-26	LOYOLA	W	3-1
10-30	ROBERT MORRIS	W	1-0
11-6	N. CAROLINA*	W	2-1
11-11	at Clemson#	L	3-0
11-19	at Georgetown!	W	4-3
11-27	at Virginia!	L	2-1

**ACC Gome, #ACC Tourn., !NCAA Tourn.*

1995
13-6-2 Overall, 4-1-1 ACC
Head Coach Sasho Cirovski

9-2	vs. Seton Hall	W	3-2
9-3	at Connecticut	W	5-1
9-6	at UMBC	W	1-0
9-10	VIRGINIA*	T	2-2
9-13	at American	W	2-1
9-17	NC STATE*	W	2-0
9-20	at Towson State	L	2-1
9-24	at Duke*	W	2-1
9-27	JAMES MADISON	L	2-1
10-1	WAKE FOREST*	W	ot 4-3
10-6	vs. St. John's	L	2-0
10-8	at Rutgers	L	2-0
10-11	MT. ST. MARY'S	W	1-0
10-18	RICHMOND	W	1-0
10-22	OLD DOMINION	W	3-0
10-25	at Loyola	W	1-0
10-28	CLEMSON*	L	2-0
11-4	at North Carolina*	W	2-1
11-9	vs. North Carolina#	L	4-3
11-19	PENN STATE!	L	4-3
11-26	at James Madison!	T	ot 2-2

**ACC Game, #ACC Tourn., !NCAA Tourn.*

Tod Herskovitz in 1995

Russell Payne in 1994

1996
14-6-3 Overall, 2-2-2 ACC, ACC Champions
Head Coach Sasho Cirovski

8-30	GEORGE MASON	L	2-1
9-1	SETON HALL	W	2-0
9-7	FLORIDA INTL.	L	4-3
9-8	HOFSTRA	W	4-0
9-15	at Virginia*	T	ot 1-1
9-22	at NC State*	T	ot 1-1
9-25	MT. ST. MARY'S	W	1-0
9-29	DUKE*	W	4-1
10-6	at Wake Forest*	L	1-0
10-9	at James Madison	L	ot 2-1
10-12	at Old Dominion	W	2-0
10-16	at Richmond	W	4-2
10-20	ROBERT MORRIS	W	5-0
10-23	AMERICAN	T	ot 1-1
10-27	HARTWICK	W	3-0
10-30	LOYOLA	W	4-0
11-2	at Clemson*	L	1-0
11-9	N.CAROLINA*	W	3-1
11-14	vs. NC State#	W	7-0
11-15	vs.Wake Forest#	W	5-1
11-17	at Virginia#	W	2-0
11-23	JAMES MADISON!	W	2-1
12-1	WILLIAM & MARY!	L	3-0

**ACC Gome, #ACC Tournoment*
!NCAA Tournoment

1997
16-6-1 Overall, 3-2-1 ACC,
Head Coach Sasho Cirovski

8-29	at Adelphi	W	5-1
8-31	at Hofstra	W	2-0
9-5	SANTA CLARA	W	3-2
9-7	HOWARD	W	ot 3-2
9-13	VIRGINIA *	T	ot 0-0
9-17	MOUNT ST. MARY'S	W	3-1
9-21	NC STATE *	L	0-1
9-28	at Duke *	W	ot 2-1
10-3	at Wisconsin	W	2-0
10-8	at George Mason	W	2-0
10-12	at North Carolina *	W	ot 2-1
10-15	RICHMOND	L	0-1
10-18	VILLANOVA	W	4-0
10-22	at American	L	1-3
10-25	WAKE FOREST *	W	2-1
10-29	at Loyola	W	6-0
11-2	at Clemson *	L	0-1
11-8	OHIO STATE	W	2-1
11-13	vs. Clemson #	W	4-2
11-14	vs. Duke #	W	4-2
11-16	vs.Virginia#	L	0-2
11-23	at Rutgers!	W	1-0
11-30	at American!	L	0-1

**ACC Gome, #ACC Tournoment*
!NCAA Tournoment

All-Time Versus All Opponents

Opponent	W	L	T
Adelphi	1	0	0
Akron	1	1	0
American	10	9	4
Baltimore	3	6	0
Brooklyn	0	0	2
Butler	1	0	0
Campbell	0	2	0
Catholic	15	0	1
Central Florida	0	0	1
Clemson	9	20	2
Cleveland State	2	0	0
Coastal Carolina	1	1	0
Connecticut	1	0	0
Dartmouth	1	0	0
Delaware	0	2	1
Detroit	1	0	0
District of Columbia	1	1	0
Duke	19	12	2
East Stroudsburg	0	1	0
Florida International	0	1	0
George Mason	2	5	1
George Washington	17	9	2
Georgetown	7	0	0
Guilford	1	0	0
Hartwick	2	0	0
Hofstra	2	0	0
Howard	8	10	1
James Madison	10	5	3
Lafayette	2	1	0
LaSalle	0	1	0
Loyola	7	4	5
UMBC	11	4	2
Michigan State	1	1	1
Mount St. Mary's	10	1	0
Navy	10	4	4
NC State	19	20	2
North Carolina	13	14	3
Ohio State	1	0	0
Old Dominion	7	4	1
Penn State	5	7	3
Pennsylvania	1	0	0
Philadelphia Textile	2	1	2
Princeton	0	0	1
Radford	0	1	0
Richmond	7	1	0
Robert Morris	2	0	0
Rutgers	1	2	0
Salisbury State	2	0	0
San Francisco	0	2	0
San Jose State	1	0	0
Santa Clara	1	0	0
Seton Hall	2	0	0
South Florida	1	0	0
Southern Connecticut	0	1	0
St. John's	0	1	0
St. Joseph's	1	0	0
St. Louis	1	0	0
Tampa	1	0	0
Towson State	11	6	0
Villanova	1	0	0
Virginia	9	17	6
Virginia Commonwealth	1	0	0
Virginia Tech	2	0	0
Wake Forest	9	8	2
West Virginia	0	1	0
William & Mary	0	1	0
Wisconsin	1	0	0
Wisconsin-Green Bay	0	0	1

Note: Records only kept since 1968

Opponent Capsules

American

Sun. Sept. 6 • 2 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Eagles
Location: Washington, D.C.
Field: Reeves Field (6,000)
Conf.: Colonial Athletic Assoc.
Colors: AU Red and Blue
Head Coach: Bob Jenkins
Overall Rec.: 62-54-10 (6 years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coaches: Todd West, Nick Stames, Chris Brown
1997 Record: 17-4-4
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 6-0-2/1st
1997 Postseason: NCAA Quarterfinals, lost to UVA, 2-1
Starters Returning/Lost: 6/5
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 12/6
Men's Soccer SID: Matt Winkler
SID Phone: (202) 885-3032
SID Fax: (202) 885-3033

Clemson

Sat. Oct. 31 • 7 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Tigers
Location: Clemson, S.C.
Field: Riggs Field (6,500)
Conf.: Atlantic Coast Conference
Colors: Orange and Purple
Head Coach: Trevor Adair
Overall Rec.: 71-44-11 (7 Years)
Rec. at School: 37-20-6 (3 Years)
Assistant Coaches: Andy McMahon, Todd Bramble
1997 Record: 11-7-3
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 3-1-2/3rd
1997 Postseason: NCAA Quarterfinals, Lost to UCLA, 2-1
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 15/8
Men's Soccer SID: Sam Blackman
SID Phone: (864) 656-1924
SID Fax: (864) 656-0299

Duke

Sun. Sept. 27 • 2 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Blue Devils
Location: Durham, N.C.
Field: Duke Soccer Stad. (7,000)
Conf.: Atlantic Coast Conference
Colors: Royal Blue and White
Head Coach: John Rennie
Overall Rec.: 319-145-37 (27 Years)
Rec. at School: 275-99-23 (20 Years)
Assistant Coaches: David Smyth, David Allred, Dan Cagle
1997 Record: 15-5
1997 Conf. Record/Finish: 4-2/1st
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 9/2
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 14/4
Men's Soccer SID: Tom Kosempa
SID Phone: (919) 684-2633
SID Fax: (919) 684-2489

George Mason

Wed. Oct. 7 • 7 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Patriots
Location: Fairfax, Va.
Field: George Mason Stadium
Conf.: Colonial Athletic Association
Colors: Green and Gold
Head Coach: Gordon Bradley
Overall Rec.: 157-81-33 (13 years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coaches: Greg Franzke, Mark Ryan
1997 Record: 12-8-2
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 5-2-1/2nd
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 6/5
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 14/8
Men's Soccer SID: Ben Trittipoe
SID Phone: (703) 993-3263
SID Fax: (703) 993-3259

Howard

Wed. Sept. 23 • 7 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Bison
Location: Washington, D.C.
Field: Howard Field
Conf.: Mid-Continent Conf.
Colors: Navy blue, orange, white
Head Coach: Keith Tucker
Overall Rec.: n/a
Record at School: n/a
Assistant Coach: Chris Landy
1997 Record: 12-8-2
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 3-3-0/2nd
1997 Postseason: 1-1, NCAA 1st Round, Lost to Georgetown
Starters Returning/Lost: n/a
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: n/a
Men's Soccer SID: Edward Hill
SID Phone: (202) 806-7181
SID Fax: (202) 806-7188

Loyola

Tues. Oct. 27 • 7 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Greyhounds
Location: Baltimore, Md.
Field: Curley Field (3,000)
Conf.: Metro Atlantic Athletic Conf.
Colors: Green and White
Head Coach: Bill Sento
Overall Rec.: 236-98-36 (18 Years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coaches: Mike Mason, Bill Wnek
1997 Record: 9-10-2
1997 Conf. Record/Finish: 7-2/2nd
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/4
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 16/11
Men's Soccer SID: Scott Lowe
SID Phone: (410) 617-2337
SID Fax: (410) 617-5029

Md.-Baltimore County

Wed. Sept. 9 • 7 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Retrievers
Location: Baltimore, Md.
Field: UMBC Stadium (4,500)
Conference: Big South
Colors: Gold, Black, w/Red
Head Coach: Pete Caringi
Overall Rec.: 244-82-15 (17 Years)
Rec. at School: 75-55-7 (7 Years)
Assistant Coach: Anthony Adams
1997 Record: 5-12-2
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 2-4-1/na
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: na
Volleyball SID: David Gansell
SID Phone: (410) 455-2639
SID Fax: (410) 455-3994

Michigan State

Sat. Nov. 7 • 2 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Spartans
Location: East Lansing, Mich.
Field: Old College Field (2,000)
Conference: Big 10
Colors: Green and White
Head Coach: Joe Baum
Overall Rec.: 203-152-37 (21 years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coach: Steve Schad
1997 Record: 6-9-4
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 2-2-1/3rd
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 15/6
Men's Soccer SID: Joh Farina
SID Phone: (517) 355-2271
SID Fax: (517) 355-6609

Mount St. Mary's

Wed. Sept. 16 • 7 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Mountaineers
Location: Emmitsburg, Md.
Field: MSMC Soccer Field
Conference: Northeast
Colors: Blue and White
Head Coach: Mark Mettrick
Overall Record: 38-28-7 (4 years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coach: Brian Wall
1997 Record: 10-6-2
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 2-2-2/5th
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 6/5
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 9/10
Men's Soccer SID: Eric Kleiber
SID Phone: (301) 447-5384
SID Fax: (301) 447-5300

North Carolina

Sat. Oct. 10 • 7 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Tar Heels
Location: Chapel Hill, N.C.
Field: Fetzer Field (5,700)
Conf.: Atlantic Coast Conference
Colors: Carolina Blue and White
Head Coach: Elmar Bolowich
Overall Rec.: 97-72-10 (9 Years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coaches: Jay Howell, Michael Milazzo
1997 Record: 6-13
1997 Conf. Record/Finish: 1-5/7th
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 6/5
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 8/9
Men's Soccer SID: Matt Bowers
SID Phone: (919) 962-2123
SID Fax: (919) 962-0612

NC State

Sun. Sept. 20 • 2 p.m. • Method Road

Nickname: Wolfpack
Location: Raleigh, N.C.
Field: Method Road (5,000)
Conf.: Atlantic Coast Conference
Colors: Red and White
Head Coach: George Tarantini
Overall Rec.: 138-71-23 (12 years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coach: Matthias Berrang
1997 Record: 11-7
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 4-3/T1st
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 10/14
Men's Soccer SID: Jason Simon
SID Phone: (919) 515-2102
SID Fax: (919) 515-2898

Richmond

Wed. Oct. 14 • 7:30 p.m. • UR Soccer Complex

Nickname: Spiders
Location: Richmond, Va.
Field: UR Soccer Complex (4,000)
Conference: Colonial
Colors: Red and Blue
Head Coach: Jeff Gettler
Overall Rec.: 168-174-46 (22 years)
Rec. at School: 30-21-9 (3 years)
Assistant Coaches: Peter McEvoy, Lindsay Hunt III, Paul Kekevian
1997 Record: 9-7-4
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 4-3-1/5th
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 9/2
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 17/7
Men's Soccer SID: Phil Stanton
SID Phone: (804) 289-8754
SID Fax: (804) 289-8820

San Francisco

Sat. Oct. 3 • 6 p.m. • Buck Shaw Stadium

Nickname: Dons
Location: San Francisco, Calif.
Field: Negoesco Stadium (3,000)
Conf. West Coast Conference
Colors: Green and Gold
Head Coach: Stephen Negoesco
Overall Rec.: 521-139-64 (36 Years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coach: Erik Visser
1997 Record: 9-11
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 2-4/T6th
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/4
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 13/8
Men's Soccer SID: Peter Simon
SID Phone: (415) 422-6161
SID Fax: (415) 422-2929

Santa Clara

Thurs. Oct. 1 • 8 p.m. • Buck Shaw Stadium

Nickname: Broncos
Location: Santa Clara, Calif.
Field: Buck Shaw Stadium (6,800)
Conf. West Coast Conference
Colors: Red and White
Head Coach: Mitch Murray
Overall Rec.: 90-34-12 (7 Years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coaches: Cameron Rast, Eric Yamamoto
1997 Record: 10-9
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 4-2/T1st
1997 Postseason: 0-1
Starters Returning/Lost: 6/5
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 15/6
Men's Soccer SID: John Callan
SID Phone: (408) 554-4661
SID Fax: (408) 554-4752

Seton Hall

Tues. Sept. 1 • 3 p.m. • Owen T. Carroll Field

Nickname: Pirates
Location: South Orange, N.J.
Field: Owen T. Carroll Field (1,800)
Conference: Big East
Colors: Blue and White
Head Coach: Manfred Schellscheidt
Overall Rec.: 111-67-16 (10 years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coaches: Dave Buck, Robert McCourt
1997 Record: 11-8
1997 Conf. Record/Finish: 7-4/4th
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 13/7
Men's Soccer SID: TBA
SID Phone: (973) 761-9493
SID Fax: (973) 761-9061

Virginia

Sat. Sept. 12 • 7 p.m. • Klockner Stadium

Nickname: Cavaliers
Location: Charlottesville, Va.
Field: Klockner Stadium (8,000)
Conf.: Atlantic Coast Conference
Colors: Orange and Blue
Head Coach: George Gelnovatch
Overall Record: 355-76 (2 years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coaches: Craig Reynolds, Keith Lenert, Carey Aliff
1997 Record: 19-4-3
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 3-1-2/3rd
1997 Postseason: NCAA Runner-up, Lost to Indiana UCLA, 2-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/4
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 9/8
Men's Soccer SID: Charlie Bare
SID Phone: (804) 982-5500
SID Fax: (804) 982-5525

Wake Forest

Sat. Oct. 24 • 7 p.m. • Spry Staoium

Nickname: Demon Deacons
Location: Winston-Salem, NC
Field: W. Dennie Spry Stadium (3,000)
Conf: Atlantic Coast Conference
Colors: Old Gold and Black
Head Coach: Jay Vidovich
Overall Record: 43-33-3 (4 years)
Rec. at School: 43-33-3 (4 years)
Assistant Coaches: John Hackworth, Paul McDonough
1997 Record: 10-10
1997 Conf. Record/Finish: 2-4/6th
1997 Postseason: 0-0
Starters Returning/Lost: 6/5
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 13/7
Men's Soccer SID: Jen Hoover
SID Phone: (336) 758-5640
SID Fax: (336) 758-5140

William & Mary

Sat. Oct. 17 • 7 p.m. • Luowig Field

Nickname: Tribe
Location: Williamsburg, Va.
Field: Busch Field (2,200)
Conf: Colonial Athletic Association
Colors: Green and Gold
Head Coach: Al Albert
Overall Rec.: 326-140-51 (27 Years)
Record at School: Same
Assistant Coaches: Chris Norris and Oliver Weiss
1997 Record: 14-6-2
1997 Conf. Rec./Finish: 4-2-2/T3rd
1997 Postseason: 0-1
Starters Returning/Lost: 5/6
Letterwinners Ret./Lost: 17/6
Men's Soccer SID: Dan Booth
SID Phone: (757) 221-3344
SID Fax: (757) 221-3412

1998 NCAA
DIVISION I MEN'S SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

Ludwig Field, Home of the Terps

Because of the expanding horizon of Terrapin soccer and the growing interest in its achievement on the field, the most extensive facility enhancement in Maryland soccer history was undertaken in 1995. The result: the state-of-the-art Ludwig Soccer Field.

Built at a cost of $2.5 million, the facility's quality now matches the soccer program. Ludwig Field, officially dedicated on September 16, 1995, is surely a cornerstone of college soccer throughout the nation.

The 1,500-seat facility is an integral part of the more than $40 million of new construction for Maryland athletics. The complex is fully lighted with an all-weather track and a sodded Bermuda grass playing field.

The permanent lights allow for commonly scheduled night games. The lights also allow Maryland the ability to host NCAA and Atlantic Coast Conference tournaments, high-caliber in-season tournaments and nationally-televised games.

The complex was also constructed with the local soccer fan very much in mind. The field is located directly adjacent to Parking Lot 1 and close to the University Boulevard entrance.

The facility is named after lifetime Terrapin friends Bob and Louise Ludwig.

Ludwig Field was packed for the Terps' game against Virginia last year when a facility record of 3,723 attended the game.

Ludwig Field Records

Terps Team Records

Most Goals in a Game
5 vs. Robert Morris, Oct. 20, 1996

Most Assists in a Game
7 vs. Villanova, Oct. 18, 1997

Most Points in a Game
15 vs. Robert Morris, Oct. 20, 1996
15 vs. Villanova, Oct. 18, 1997

Most Shots in a Game
31 vs. Robert Morris, Oct. 20, 1996

Terps Team Records

Most Goals in a Game
3 Tod Herskovitz vs. Wake Forest, Oct. 1, 1995

Most Assists in a Game
3 Jason Sardis vs. Villanova, Oct. 18, 1997

Most Points in a Game
6 Tod Herskovitz vs. Wake Forest, Oct. 1, 1995

Most Saves in a Game
10 Russell Payne vs. Duke, Sept. 29, 1996

Terps' Home Games at Ludwig Field

1995 (5-3-1)

9-10	Virginia*	T	2-2
9-17	NC State*	W	2-0
9-27	James Madison	L	2-1
10-1	Wake Forest*	W ot	4-3
10-11	Mt. St. Mary's	W	1-0
10-18	Richmond	W	1-0
10-22	Old Dominion	W	3-0
10-28	Clemson*	L	2-0
	NCAA First Round		
11-19	Penn State	L	4-3

1996 (9-3-1)

8-30	George Mason	L	2-1
9-1	Seton Hall	W	2-0
9-7	Florida Int'l.	L	4-3
9-8	Hofstra	W	4-0
9-25	Mt. St. Mary's	W	1-0
9-29	Duke*	W	4-1
10-20	Robert Morris	W	5-0
10-23	American	T ot	1-1
10-27	Hartwick	W	3-0
10-30	Loyola	W	4-0
11-9	N. Carolina*	W	3-1
	NCAA First Round		
11-23	James Madison	W	2-1
	NCAA Second Round		
12-1	William & Mary	L	3-0

1997 (6-2-1)

9-5	Santa Clara	W	3-2
9-7	Howard	W ot	3-2
9-13	Virginia *	T ot	0-0
9-17	Mt. St. Mary's	W	3-1
9-21	NC State *	L	0-1
10-15	Richmond	L	0-1
10-18	Villanova	W	4-0
10-25	Wake Forest *	W	2-1
11-8	Ohio State	W	2-1

All-Time Record at Ludwig Field: 20-8-3, 5-2-2 in ACC Games

Directions to Ludwig

From Baltimore and North: Interstate 95 south to exit 25B, College Park/U.S. Route 1 South. After approximately one mile, take a right hand exit off U.S. 1 onto Route 193 West. Go two traffic lights to Stadium Drive. Make a left onto Stadium Drive, stay to the right around both traffic circles. Ludwig Field is on the right hand side of the road after second traffic circle.

From Baltimore/Washington International Airport: Interstate 195 West to 95 South. Travel to exit 25B and follow the above directions to Ludwig Field.

From Reagan National Airport: Interstate 395 South until it terminates at New York Avenue. Make a right onto New York Avenue and exit at Maryland Route 295 (Baltimore/Washington Parkway). Exit at Maryland Route 193 West (Greenbelt Road) and follow straight for three miles to Stadium Drive.

From Washington/Richmond South: Interstate 95 North until exit 25B, College Park/U.S. Route 1 South. Take the above directions to Ludwig Field.

From Dulles International Airport and West: Dulles Toll Road to Interstate 495 East. Take 495 East (Washington Beltway), which will change into Interstate 95 South, for approximately 25 minutes to exit 25B. Take the above directions to Ludwig Field.

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